

Lewis and Taft Clash in Verbal Battle

600 Mothers Volunteer for "March on Polio" Thursday



HEADS POLIO FUND DRIVE
Mrs. George B. Hampton will head some 600 mothers in Wilbarger County Thursday night as they stage their annual "Mothers March on Polio" to raise funds to combat the disease both in the county and in the nation. The drive will be held from 7-8 p. m. Thursday. A porch light turned on will tell the mothers that a house has a donation for the drive. County residents gave at the rate of 62 cents per capita last year.

Approximately 600 mothers of Wilbarger County have volunteered their services to collect donations for the "Mother's March on Polio" to be conducted tomorrow night between 7 and 8 o'clock.

Beating Victim Undergoes Major Brain Surgery Today

Dallas, Jan. 30. (P)—Tommy Yates, the four-year-old who missed Christmas because he was beaten unconscious, underwent major brain surgery today.

He gave no further information. Tommy has been lying in his bed at Baylor Hospital in Dallas since Dec. 27 when brought in black and blue with bruises, his right side paralyzed.

Tax Payments Booming Here

Poll tax payments in Wilbarger County this year may reach their highest figure in recent years.

It was on Christmas Eve that Tommy was beaten in his home at Vernon. His mother, Mrs. Robert Dale Simpson, was convicted of assault with intent to murder in the beating and sentenced to ten years in prison.

Weather

Temperature readings for the past 24-hour period ending at noon Wednesday:
Maximum 56 degrees
Minimum 31 degrees
Noon reading 49 degrees
Forecast: Partly cloudy through Thursday. No important temperature changes.

MOTHERS MARCH ON POLIO

Your Light Thursday Night Can Brighten The Life Of Some Polio Victim!

Follow the simple rules below—It is easy to give.

1. Be at home Thursday night between 7 p.m. and 8 p.m.
2. Have contribution ready. (A check will be fine).
3. Turn on your porch light or place a light in the window.
4. Greet the Mother with a smile, a contribution and sign the scroll.

ONE HOUR OF ONE DAY TO GIVE — THE REST OF YOUR LIFE TO BE GLAD!

If no one has called at your home by 7:45 p.m. then please call 1548 or KVWC and a car will pick up your contribution.

YOU GIVE — SO THAT OTHERS MIGHT LIVE

Reds Agree on Troop Rotation Plans for Korea

Enemy Balks at Curbs on Movement of Own Soldiers During Truce.

Munsan, Korea, Jan. 30. (P)—Communist negotiators in a double reversal today agreed to the Allies rotating 25,000 troops a month during an armistice and said Chinese would join in administering the demilitarized zone.

The Reds balked, however, at restraints on moving their troops secretly into threatening concentrations during an armistice.

Previously the Communists had agreed on rotating only 5,000 U. N. troops. The Allies are asking for 75,000 a month.

Yesterday the Reds indicated the Chinese would take no part in civil administration of the northern half of a buffer zone during an armistice. Today they reversed it.

All these actions were taken by staff officers working their way slowly through an 18-page Allied draft of a plan for supervising an armistice.

The Reds objected to two security proposals:
1. That both sides refrain from concentrating troops and guns in a manner to threaten the other side.

2. Both sides to report weekly the exact location of all major ground, naval and air units.

In a neighboring text at Panmunjom, a U. N. spokesman said, a North Korean general showed a critical and sarcastic interest in the Allied plan for exchanging prisoners.

Brig. Gen. William P. Nuckols said the Communist negotiator was "reasonably objective, but it would be incorrect to say any measurable progress was being made."

Sirens will announce the opening of the drive at 7 p. m., and police cars will gather donations from the lieutenants in the various areas. The drive will begin promptly at 7 p. m. so porch lights should be turned on early.

More than 150,000 Texas women are being mobilized for this project according to Lloyd Gregory, Texas March of Dimes chairman.

San Antonio, Jan. 30. (P)—A long, distinguished military career started here in 1916, came to an end in colorful retirement ceremonies for Lt. Gen. Leroy Lutes at Arthur MacArthur Field, Fort Sam Houston, this afternoon.

As he relinquished command of the Fourth Army, he was presented a framed parchment, bearing the signatures of Frank Pace, Secretary of the Army, and Gen. J. Lawton Collins, U. S. Army chief of staff, and the official seal of the U. S. Army.

The Army testimonial read in part:
"In your many positions, both in peace and in war, you have made an outstanding contribution to the efficiency of the Army and to the security of our country."

General Lutes, who headed the Fourth Army here for two years, gave a brief retirement address.

"It is not easy," he said, "to leave active duty after 35 years with the colors. But I can be comforted with the pleasant memories of the fine associations I have had with both military and civilian elements of the Fourth Army. If my services are needed again, I shall be glad to return to active duty."

Plans Are Completed Here For Program Scheduled for Opening of New Auditorium

The complete program for the formal opening and dedication of the new \$650,000 Wilbarger County Memorial Auditorium Monday night has been released by County Judge A. D. Green and Vernon Chamber of Commerce officials.

The program, open to the public free of charge, will get under way at 8:30. Judge Green will act as master of ceremonies.

Vidal Jones will lead the assembly in singing "America," accompanied by Mrs. Earl Mason.

The invocation will be given by Rev. Noel V. Guice, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of Vernon. Judge Green will next introduce all honor guests.

The address of dedication will be delivered by R. B. Anderson, general manager of the W. T. Waggoner Estate.

The Rex Allen Show, featuring Rex Allen, Ginny Jackson and the Sons of the Pioneers, will start at 9 o'clock.

From 9:30 to 10 o'clock, the Rex Allen Show will do its regular Monday night nation-wide broadcast over the CBS Radio Network direct from the spacious stage of the 2,000-seat auditorium.

The only seats reserved for the opening program will be the few reserved for out-of-town and local honor guests. All other seats will be open to the public.

Officials from 13 towns have already accepted invitations to attend the program. They include Knox City, Wichita Falls, Burkburnett, Electra, Seymour, Chillicothe, Crowell, Quanah, Fredericks, Archer City, Altus, Wellington and Hollis.

Lou Fulton, director and writer of the Rex Allen Show, will arrive in Vernon Friday to complete arrangements for the Monday night event. Rex Allen and his party will arrive by plane Sunday afternoon. They will be met by a special welcoming party headed by Mayor Fay Eggleston, Judge Green and J. C. Randel, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Paul Endacott, president of the Phillips Petroleum Company, and L. E. Fitzjarrald, production manager, will arrive in Vernon early Monday morning.

A brief part of the nationwide CBS Radio Network program, the Rex Allen Show, at the opening of Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium Monday night will consist of the presentation of the Treasury Department Bond Flag to the City of Vernon.

R. B. Anderson, representing Secretary of the Treasury, John Snyder, will present the flag to G. E. Carpenter, who will accept it for the city.

Washington, Jan. 30. (P)—White House advisor Philo Nash, accused by Senator McCarthy (R-Wis) of being a former Communist, has branded the charge "a contemptible lie."

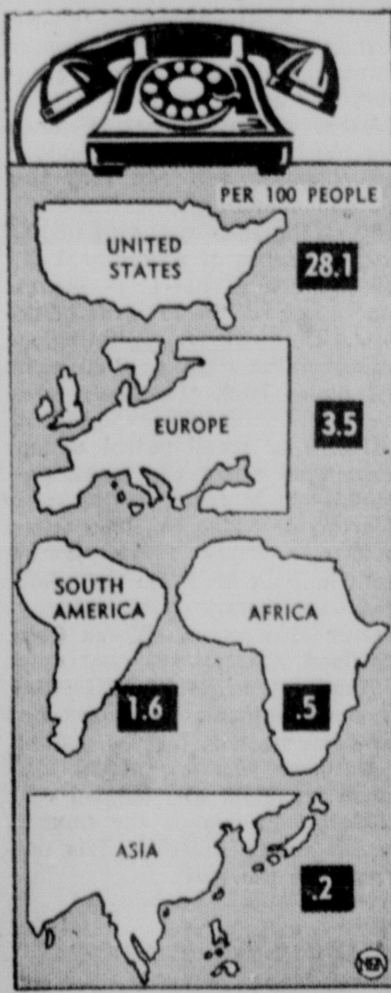
"I have absolutely nothing to hide and never have had," he said. Nash, a presidential advisor on problems of racial and religious minorities, added:

"I suspect that Senator McCarthy has been stung by an advertisement in my home town paper, the Wisconsin Rapids Daily Tribune, 'Citizens versus McCarthy,' which appeared last Monday."

He said sponsors of the advertisement included his sister, Jean Nash.

McCarthy said on the Senate floor yesterday that President Truman should "get rid" of Nash. He said he assumed the President has not seen FBI reports accusing Nash of having "constant contact with the Communist underground in Washington."

McCarthy said that when the Federal Loyalty Review Board sought to inspect the findings of a White House Loyalty Board which had cleared Nash, Donald Dawson, Mr. Truman's patronage chief, had sent for the files and presumably still has them.



NUMBER, PLEASE?—News-chart above shows number of telephones per 100 people for five large continental areas. More than one-half of the world's telephones are in the U. S., which has more than 28 for every 100 people.



By CLIFF CLINES and W. D. DIXON

Radio Station KVWC is to present two highly interesting local programs in the near future. Friday night at 7 p. m., the Vernon High School Band is to present a program over the station. It is to be a benefit program, selling subscriptions to The Vernon Times, with most of the funds to go to the band. As I understand it, if you buy a \$1.50 subscription to The Times, the band gets \$1 of the money. That is, if you designate the benefit to the band. Of course in rural schools, classes are benefitting similarly at Northside, Oklaunion, Odell and Lockett. But, anyway, the band is to present a program over KVWC.

Then next Sunday, Mrs. Charles Parson will present units of her famed Mixed Chorus over KVWC. The program will feature a number of other local people as a salute to the new auditorium, to be opened the following day by the appearance of the noted Sons of the Pioneers and Rex Allen.

You'll probably think this is propaganda, but don't be surprised if all the tickets for the Drew Pearson appearance in Vernon are sold before they are placed on sale! I mean by that, the Chamber of Commerce naturally thought of allowing members of the Chamber of Commerce to buy tickets before they were placed on sale for the general public. There is a strong possibility that when the announcement of the sale comes tomorrow it will be an announcement that all tickets are sold.

This fellow Rex Allen is surely giving Vernon a boost over his network radio program. In the program last Monday night he made two announcements about the program in Vernon next Monday. He told the people of the nation that he would be here to formally open the new \$2,000,000 auditorium.

Local Man Fined on DWI Charges Here
A local man was fined \$77.25 and had his drivers license suspended for six months for driving while intoxicated, according to County Court officials Wednesday.

In Justice of the Peace G. L. Robinson's court a Thalia man paid a \$19 fine for speeding and a Fort Worth man paid a \$10 fine for passing in a no passing zone.

TO REMODEL PLANT
Houston, Jan. 30. (P)—The Houston Post said last night a three-million-dollar modernization of the Texas City Refining, Inc., plant at Texas City would be done by Henry Kaiser Engineers, a division of Henry Kaiser Industries.

Arch Booth, executive vice president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, will be the principal speaker at the meeting.

Mr. Randel indicated that a representative from Vernon would attend the meeting.

WTCC Committee To Meet at Fort Worth
A meeting of the taxation and legislative committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held in Fort Worth on Feb. 6, according to J. C. Randel, president of the Vernon Chamber of Commerce.

Workers Vote to Accept Wage Hike
Beaumont, Jan. 30. (P)—Members of the Beaumont Metal Trades Council (AFL) were on the job today after voting yesterday to accept a 14-cent-per-hour across-the-board wage hike.

Acceptance of the wage boost ended a 13-day walkout at the Bethlehem shipyard. General Manager E. C. Rechlin of Bethlehem said about three-fourths of the second shift personnel returned to work at 4 p. m. yesterday.

About 1,000 shipyard workers gained several other concessions, besides the basic wage increase, in their new contract.

Taft-Hartley Law Is Called Slave Act by Mr. Lewis

Senator Snarls Right Back at Union Head as Words Fly in Dispute.

Washington, Jan. 30. (P)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) and John L. Lewis hooked up in a bitter name-calling clash at a Senate committee hearing today. Lewis termed the Taft-Hartley law "a slave act."

Lewis wound up with this broadside at the GOP presidential hopeful:

"If you are ever elected President, Mr. Taft, and Joe Stalin should ask you about the Taft-Hartley slave act, I don't know how you'll answer him."

"I can handle Stalin all right," Taft retorted. "And I managed to handle the workers of Ohio."

He was obviously referring to his overwhelming reelection as Senator in 1950 when his authority of the labor law was a primary issue.

Earlier, Taft had accused Lewis of ejecting a "red herring" into Senate hearings on mine safety.

Denies Charge
Taft said it is "entirely untrue" that miners are denied the right to walk out of unsafe mines because of the labor law Taft co-authored.

The collision between Taft and Lewis—who have been in many bitter verbal battles before—got its start yesterday when Lewis rose at a Senate committee hearing to blast away at "Bob Taft's slave statute."

The hearing is before a special group studying a measure offered by Senator Neely (D-WVA) aimed at putting teeth into federal laws regulating mine safety and inspections. Neely ended the hearings after the Lewis-Taft clash.

Taft got his innings in today. Neely at first refused Lewis permission to answer back. But after the witness on the stand had just speaking, the United Mine Workers' boss was given his chance.

"I regret," he said, "that Mr. Taft saw fit to challenge my veracity this morning in his earlier hit-and-run statement."

Taft snapped back that he hadn't accused Lewis of lying, but merely "questioned his legal conclusions of the contract and the law."

Says Senator Wrong
"Well," said Lewis, "the Senator is wrong in thinking that it is inescapable that mine operations must close their mines when the union says they are unsafe."

Lewis said yesterday the Taft-Hartley law denies miners the right to walk out of mines they believe to be unsafe.

He said today that operators often violate their contracts and cited a case.

Lewis said the Brackwood Fuel Co., had refused to close down a Virginia mine which the union safety committee had ruled to be unsafe. He said one man was eventually killed because of the conditions of which the union complained.

Lewis said the miners were "scared to death" of a disaster and finally decided to quit work entirely.

Suit was filed in Federal Court for \$750,000 damages under Taft-Hartley provisions for breach of contract, Lewis went on, and the case is now pending.

JUDGE DIES
Waco, Jan. 30. (P)—Judge John W. Spivey, 88, one of the original members of the Tenth Court of Civil Appeals here, died today. He was the oldest member of the Waco Bar Association.



Arizona U Dismisses Grid Players

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 30. (AP)—Dr. Richard A. Harvill, president of the university of two freshmen foot night announced dismissal from the university of to freshmen football players for falsifying registration records.

Dr. Harvill, in line with the university's policy of withholding names of dismissed students, did not identify them, but the Arizona Daily Star, in its morning edition today, said they were Benjamin (Bud) Greene, 19, fullback, from Harvard, Ill., and Phillip Grandinetti, 19, end, from Chicago.

Efforts to contact the students for their comments have been unavailing.

Neither of the players participated in varsity football last fall.

Dr. Harvill said the players had failed to show that, after graduation from Chicago high schools, they had gone to Wright Junior College in the fall of 1950.

Both boys were at Mississippi State in the spring of 1951. They reported to Arizona's football training camp at Fort Huachuca, Ariz., last September.

Registration cards show Greene played high school football at Sullivan High School, Chicago and that Grandinetti played at Marshall High School, Chicago.

Dr. Harvill said the players had told him they failed to give their complete educational records when they enrolled last fall at the university.

"I am certain," Dr. Harvill added, "that no one here knew of their previous scholastic record. They came to the university on their own. They were not allowed to play varsity football because of having been at Mississippi State for one semester."

San Antonio Officers Are Seeking Gunman

San Antonio, Jan. 30. (AP)—A gunman was sought by police today as the result of seven reports in the last three days of an unidentified person firing at autos and houses.

Police began getting reports of someone firing at parked cars and into the front door of a house.

R. H. Hunnicutt, 40, told Police Sgt. Carl Heinrich that he was driving his car Tuesday when another car passed and what was believed to be a shot was fired at the Hunnicutt car, the bullet grazing the windshield.

Alfredo Chavarria told Policeman M. G. Tijerina he was driving home from Kelly Air Force Base Monday when several shots were fired in the direction of his car. A bullet struck the small vent windows on Chavarria's side of the car and passed through the vehicle, he said.

LECTED PRESIDENT

Fort Worth, Jan. 30. (AP)—Members of the Texas Polled Hereford Association elected N. M. Mitchell, Sanderson, president last night at their annual meeting here. Perry Landrum of Waco was named vice-president, and Henry Fussell of Dallas was re-elected secretary. New directors named were I. C. Underwood of Marshall and E. E. Voigt of San Antonio.

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Ground Action Is Stepped Up

Seoul, Korea, Jan. 30. (AP)—Allied raiders today fought through slush and mud on the Western Korean front almost to the top of a Chinese-held hill but heavy resistance forced them to withdraw.

In a new air battle one Russian-type jet was sent flaming to earth as American Sabre jets took on MIG-15s.

Warm weather melted snows, turning sections of the 155-mile Korean ground front into a quagmire.

Allied raiders struck through this much northwest of Chorwon before dawn, and ran into two hours of sharp fighting. The main body of the raiders fought up the slippery slopes of a Red-held hill through heavy rifle and machine gun fire to within 50 yards of the crest. The U. N. infantrymen broke off the fight at 8:30 a. m. and pulled back to their own lines.

Dozens of small patrol actions erupted all along the front, particularly in Mundung Valley near Heartbreak Ridge in the eastern mountains. Three fights lasting from half an hour to an hour broke out there.

Over Northwest Korea Capt. Freeland K. Mathews shot down a Russian-type jet in MIG Alley. It streaked down in flames and exploded when it hit the ground.

Mathews was one of 18 F-86 Sabre jet pilots who tangled with 12 MIGs in one of the unusual battles where American jets outnumbered the Reds.

Russian Charges Denied by Khan

Paris, Jan. 30. (AP)—Sir Mohamed Zafrullah Khan, Foreign Minister of Pakistan, told the United Nations Security Council today that Russian charges that the United States is seeking military bases in Kashmir are "utterly false and without any foundation whatsoever."

Soviet Delegate Jacob A. Malik made the accusation Jan. 17 as part of a series of charges that the U. S. and Britain were deliberately fostering Indian-Pakistan quarrels over Kashmir in order to turn that princely Himalayan state into a military outpost.

Neither the United States nor any other country has made such an approach, Sir Zafrullah said.

The Pakistan Foreign Minister spoke as the Council resumed its four-year effort to settle the fight between India and Pakistan for control of Kashmir.

The Pakistani delegate hailed the efforts of U. N. Mediator Dr. Frank S. Graham to find a solution and called for "firm and decisive" action to bring one about soon.

India and Pakistan, reliable sources said, have agreed that Graham should be continued in his post as mediator.

Math Teacher Scores School Board Action

Oklahoma City, Jan. 30. (AP)—A junior high school math teacher said he thought board of education officials did him an injustice by forcing him to resign his position.

The board discovered that Teacher Andrew Jack Hatcher, 24, was given a two-year suspended sentence for burglary, Jan. 15, 1944.

"It's just not justice," said Hatcher. "My past is being held against me just because I got mixed up with a gang of kids when I was 15 and 16. I think I am a better man for it. You can't know about life unless you know both sides of it."

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SIGNING UP—Former United Press correspondent Charles Collingwood signs papers in Washington, D. C., relating to his appointment as special assistant to Averill Harriman of the Mutual Security Agency, while his wife, actress Louise Albritton, looks on. Collingwood will assist Harriman in coordination of information activities relating to the Mutual Security Program.

Markets

Fort Worth Livestock
Fort Worth, Jan. 30. (AP)—Cattle 1,100; calves 400; cattle steady; calves were strong to unevenly higher. Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings 30.00-34.50; common and medium kinds 22.00-30.00; bulls 19.00-27.00; good and choice slaughter calves 30.00-34.50; common and medium calves 22.00-30.00; good and choice stocker calves 30.00-36.00; medium to good stocker steers and yearlings 26.00-32.00.
Hogs 1,100; steady; choice 18.00-20.00; butchers 18.25; choice 16.50-18.00; sows 13.50-15.50; feeder pigs 10.00-14.00.

Chicago Grain Futures
Wheat: Open Close
March 2.59 1/4- 2.58 1/2
May 2.55 1/2- 2.55 1/2
July 2.49 1/2- 2.49 1/2
Sept. 2.51 1/2- 2.51 1/2
Dec. 2.54 1/2- 2.54 1/2
Corn:
March 1.90 1/2- 1.88 1/2
May 1.92- 1.90 1/2
July 1.92- 1.91 1/2
Sept. 1.89 1/2- 1.87 1/2
Dec. 1.78 1/2- 1.78 1/2
Oats:
March 91 1/2- 91 1/2
May 91- 90 1/2
July 88 1/2- 87 1/2
Sept. 86 1/2- 86 1/2

Fort Worth Cash Grain
Fort Worth, Jan. 30. (AP)—Wheat No. 1 hard, 2.71 1/2- 2.74 1/2. Corn, No. 2 white, 2.46 1/2- 2.53 1/2. Oats, No. 2 white, 1.19 1/2- 2.04 1/2. Sorghums, 65 cars, 1c higher; No. 2 yellow milo, 3.14-19.

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Markets at A Glance
New York, Jan. 30. (AP)—STOCKS — irregular; steels in demand. BONDS—steady; quality issues in demand. COTTON—mixed; local buying, hedging. Chicago: WHEAT—mostly lower in light trade. CORN—easy; country offers more cash corn. OATS—lower with corn. HOGS—unevenly 15 cents higher to 25 lower; top \$18.75. CATTLE—steady to 50 cents lower; top \$38.75.

New Orleans Cotton Futures
New Orleans, Jan. 30. (AP)—Cotton futures advanced over \$1 a bale in early trading today but reacted downward later under profit taking and hedge selling. Closing prices were steady, 85 cents to \$1.10 a bale lower.
Open Close
March 41.91 41.72
May 41.66 41.50-51
July 41.23 41.01
October 38.70 38.57-62
December 38.52 38.30-31

New Orleans Spot Cotton
New Orleans, Jan. 30. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 50 cents a bale lower. Sales 1,831. Low middling 37.60; middling 41.60; good middling 42.60. Receipts 13,390; stock 272,976.

VOTE OPPOSITION
New York, Jan. 30. (AP)—The General Board of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A. voted today to oppose the Universal Military Training program. The vote was 39 to 8. The council represents 147,000 churches in this country. While opposing the program, the board said it acknowledged the need and support of adequate defense measures.

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HEADLINES—Former President of the United States, Herbert Hoover, left, speaking on a national radio and television show in New York urged Congress to review worldwide US foreign policy because of the past year's mistakes. In Washington, John L. Lewis, center, president of the United Mine Workers, interrupted the Senate Labor Subcommittee hearing on mine safety to charge a group of coal operators with presenting a "shameful" proposal on mine safety "while this slaughter of men in the coal mines continue on unabated. King Farouk of Egypt has dismissed the cabinet of Premier Mustapha El Nahas Pasha and called on independent former Premier Aly Maher Pasha, right, to form a new government, an official announcement in Cairo said.

Eastern Half of Nation Is Frigid

(By The Associated Press)
A mid-Winter cold snap extended over wide areas in the eastern half of the nation today. It was the coldest day of the Winter season in New England with sub-zero temperatures in northern areas.

New York City also shivered in the season's coldest weather, a low of 7 above.

The southland got some of the icy blasts, with readings below freezing as far south as the Gulf States. It was 19 above in Atlanta early today and it was freezing in Mobile, Ala.

Temperatures moderated in the western half of the country with most of the area above freezing.

Hospital Briefs---

Admissions:
Mrs. Vernon Lynch.
Jackie Dean Barnes.
Mrs. Albert Lowke, Jr.
Mrs. Darrell Shelton.
Mrs. T. H. Russell.
Mrs. Dewey Holder.
Joe Bruce Tobar.
J. E. Haynes.
Mrs. Vere Doyal.
Mrs. T. L. McBride.
Mrs. G. C. Phillips.
Mrs. O. O. McCurdy.
Dismissals:
Mrs. E. L. Norris.
Mrs. J. W. Baggett.
Jimmy Skipworth.
R. L. Pothorst.
Nance Phillips.
Mrs. G. S. Bunch.
F. E. Lowke.
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VA Offices May Be Consolidated

Washington, Jan. 30. (AP)—A government search for economy may result in consolidation of Veterans Administration Offices in Dallas, Texas, and Atlanta, Ga., at one of the cities.

Whether they can be consolidated more economically in Atlanta or Dallas was the purpose of an investigation begun yesterday by a House subcommittee.

The Commissioner of Public Buildings for the general services administration, W. L. Reynolds, was told to hold up further action pending results of the probe.

Reynolds said the government owned three buildings, all fully occupied in Dallas. They are the post office, a building at 1114 Commerce St. (old Santa Fe building), and the postal annex.

The "only building at reasonable rent that we know," Reynolds told the investigators, is the Butler Brothers Building. He said it could be rented for \$2 per square foot with the owner furnishing improvements, maintenance and air conditioning.

A project being considered, Reynolds said, is to acquire the Butler building in order to consolidate part of the Atlanta VA office and other government agencies in Dallas now paying "substantial rentals" to private owners. Savings would be about \$54,000 yearly.

Subcommittee counsel Ralph E. Casey remarked the government could save money by consolidating the VA offices at Atlanta instead of Dallas.

Reynolds said it would appear the saving would be 50 cents per square foot, but in order to do this, an additional 60,000 square feet of space adjacent to present Atlanta quarters would have to be condemned.

PICKING JURY

Pecos, Jan. 30. (AP)—Jury selection for the trial of John E. Welch continued here at a late hour last night. With only four jurors selected, the trial went into its second night session in two days with 93 veniremen from which to choose the remaining eight jurors. Welch is charged with murder in the January, 1951, death of Cpl. Dennis E. Miller, a soldier stationed at Fort Bliss. Welch is an ex-Marine.

PROGRESS REPORTED

Tokyo, Jan. 30. (AP)—Swift progress was reported today by delegations laying the framework for close American and Japanese defense relations when Japan again becomes a sovereign nation. The delegates, working on an administrative agreement called for by the Japan-U. S. security treaty, quickly agreed in principle on navigation and communications systems and foreign exchange controls. These items were sent to a drafting committee to be put into final form.

DENIED ENTRANCE

Beaumont, Jan. 30. (AP)—James Brisco, 18, Beaumont Negro, was told yesterday that he could not attend Lamar Tech under the law creating the school. Acting President G. A. Wimberly, who showed

the law to the youth, said the school could only abide by the statute. A high school graduate, Brisco said he hoped to find a way to attend Lamar, but would not say whether he planned legal action. He has attended Morehouse College in Atlanta, Ga., and Atlanta University previously.

SEARCH FOR PLANE

Hamilton Air Force Base, Calif., Jan. 30. (AP)—The Air Force still is searching for the C-47 that vanished with eight aboard on a Dec. 26 flight from Spokane to Travis Air Force Base, Calif. Air rescue officials today said an air search was continuing but no ground parties were in the field. All clues have fizzled. The plane last reported over Klamath Falls, Ore. It carried a three man crew and five hitchhiking servicemen.

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If your family has a preference for baking-powder breakfast breads, you'll like this quick tender coffee cake with its crusty topping. Or try spreading your own favorite biscuit dough in a shallow pan, then sprinkle the top with the tangy orange-sugar mixture.

FROSTED CINNAMON WREATH

1 package prepared hot roll mix
3 tablespoons soft butter
2 teaspoons cinnamon
½ cup brown or dark brown sugar
¼ cup raisins
Prepare package of hot roll mix and let rise as directed, or use your own favorite roll dough. When light, roll into 12"x16" rectangle. Spread rolled out dough with soft butter mixed with cinnamon. Sprinkle with brown sugar (or dark brown sugar) and raisins and roll as for jelly roll.

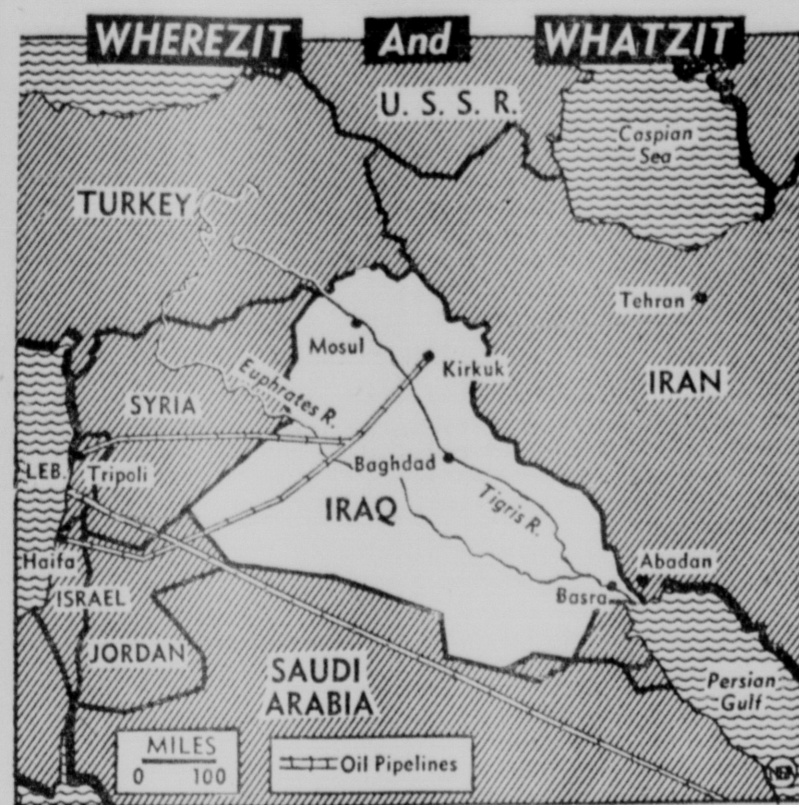
Cut into 1 inch slices. Arrange slices, cut side down, in a circle, on a well-greased baking sheet, leaving the center free. Let rise in warm place until light and almost double in bulk. Bake in a moderately hot oven (375°) for 20 to 25 minutes. Makes 1 wreath, 12" in diameter (about 16 rolls). Serve plain or frost while warm.

Butter Frosting

1 tablespoon butter
4 tablespoons milk
2 cups sifted powdered sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla

Combine butter and milk in saucepan and heat just until butter melts. Gradually stir in powdered sugar. Stir until mixture is smooth. Let stand 10 minutes, then spread on cinnamon wreath. (This frosting is good, too, lightly flavored with cinnamon).

Mrs. Jack Vinson, young missionary, stricken with bulbar polio in Kobe, Japan, was flown 6,300 miles from Japan to Tulsa, Okla., last year in an iron lung, by the U. S. Army co-operating with the National Foundation.



IRAQ (called Mesopotamia before World War I) is a land of strange paradoxes. It is a land of incredible wealth (oil and agriculture), but also a land of abject poverty. Most of its 5,000,000 inhabitants are Moslems, many of them are roving herdsmen. Ancient Iraq is the cradle land of our Bible, between the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers, and land of the Garden of Eden, but in the family of nations it is a comparative youngster. Carved from the Turkish empire after World War I, it was mandated to Britain in 1920. The present kingdom was established in 1921. It remained under mandate until 1932, when it became independent under King Feisal I. The present king, Feisal II, born in 1935, has been ruler in name (under regency of an uncle) since he was four. During World War II, Nazi intrigue threatened to get control of the country and the British occupied it to forestall the Germans. Our GI's remember Iraq as incredibly hot and dry, a nation of strange customs and many diseases, with its mosques and its women "off limits." They went there to help defend the strategic "land bridge" between Europe and Asia and keep open the Persian Gulf "back door" to our then-ally Russia. Now, Britain is responsible for keeping Iraq free of Soviet aggression, but in the wave of nationalism sweeping the Arab nations, Iraq, too, has recently given out rumblings that it wants to shake free of British influence. The world's eighth largest oil producer at its Mosul and Kirkuk fields, Iraq stands in greatest need of harnessing its rivers for power, irrigation and flood control.

Texans Take Lot Interest In Their Livestock Shows

(By The Associated Press)

Time was when round-up time brought Texans a-riding out to look over the cattle.

Now they just go to the stock shows.

Gov. Allan Shivers officially opens the Houston Fat Stock Show and Livestock Exhibition today as he leads a mounted parade through the downtown skyscrapers. And Fort Worth's big Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show roars toward a climax with the opening of "The Merry Widow," and an initial appearance of gaited horses.

Bankers, oilmen, clerks and kids "went western" in Houston Tuesday as the first wave of livestock lovers hit the big town.

But they were putting away the ten-gallon Stetsons in Fort Worth in favor of more effusive attire for the "Merry Widow" opening. The operetta was to continue Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights with a matinee set Sunday.

Rodeos are top attractions at both shows.

Judging at Houston actually started Tuesday with John Harris, a 16-year-old Austin High School student, showing the top Duroc

boar in the breeding swine show.

Auction of prize animals starts at Houston Thursday. Fort Worth will auction her champions Friday.

As the Houston show got under way, the Fort Worth livestock extravaganza selected the champion barrow of the show and auctioned Shetland ponies, Brahman cattle and Herefords.

J. D. Hudgings Ranch of Hunkerford snared the lion's share of honors in the Fort Worth Brahman show, with the champion bull JDH Bertram De Manso; the champion female, JDH Patricia Manso, and the reserve champ female.

Reaping Gold C, owned by C. L. Carlock, of Oklahoma City was named grand champion stallion in the Fort Worth Shetland pony division, and Harriette of Horse Creek owned by Lazy W Stables of Winters, was champ mare.

Other Fort Worth stock show results:

Mrs. Ammie E. Wilson, Plano Hampshire breeder led the field in the Hampshire breeding sheep show by winning both grand champion ram and ewe.

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WEEKDAY LUNCH

Southern Tomato Soup
Toasted Cheese Sandwiches
Fruit Salad
Beverage

Southern Tomato Soup

Ingredients: One 10½-ounce can condensed tomato soup, one 10½-ounce can chicken gumbo soup, water, ½ teaspoon sugar, 1-16 teaspoon dried crushed basil, freshly ground pepper (to taste).

Method: Empty tomato and chicken gumbo soups into large saucepan. Using soup can as measure, add 2 cans water. Stir in sugar and basil. Heat slowly, stirring occasionally. Add freshly ground pepper to taste before serving. Makes 6 servings.

JIFFY COFFEE CAKE

¼ cup soft shortening
¾ cup pure cane sugar
1 egg
¼ cup orange juice
¼ cup milk
1½ cups sifted flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt

Topping:

½ cup pure cane sugar
3 tablespoons flour
2 tablespoons grated orange peel
3 tablespoons melted butter
Cream shortening and gradually add sugar. Blend in egg. Then add orange juice and milk. Mix well. Stir in flour sifted with baking powder and salt. Spread batter in a greased and floured 9" square pan or shallow oven-glass baking dish. Make the topping: mix sugar, flour and grated orange peel, blend in melted butter and spread over the batter. Bake in moderately hot oven (375°) 30 to 35 minutes, or until done when tested with a toothpick. Makes nine 3" squares.

sheep show a ram exhibited by H. Moehle and Sons, Enid, Okla., was judged champion ram.

In ewe class judging J. Raiden and Son, Honey Grove, had grand champion.

Grand champion barrow was shown today by Harvey Richardson, of Elmore City, Okla., who had the champion at the show last year. Reserve champion was shown by Johnny Younts of Waco.

Champion bull of the polled Hereford show was HHR DW23 117th, from the Halbert and Fawcett herd of Sonora. Champion female was Princess Victoria 29th shown by Circle M Ranch of Senatobia, Miss.

Judging activity continues at the Fort Worth show Wednesday with Hereford cattle, sheep, hogs, Shorthorn cattle, poultry, and Angora goats going through their paces.

The second auction at Fort Worth—polled Herefords—is also set Wednesday.

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ENVOY TO FRANCO?—Administration sources report that Lincoln MacVeagh, above, U. S. ambassador to Portugal, has been selected by President Truman to be the next ambassador to Spain. He will succeed Stanton Griffiths, who is retiring.

It is estimated that for every diagnosed polio case there are 100 or more persons who have polio virus in their systems without being ill. The existence of these "silent cases," that can pass on the virus to susceptible persons, tends to explain why isolation and quarantine do not stop polio epidemics.

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VERNON LION CAGERS—Here are the Vernon Lion cagers of 1952 who have posted an 8-6 record this season. From left to right, Coach Bob Percival, Jerry Thomas, Lester Dye, James Tull, Gordie Harvey and Ramon Towry. Towry is the leading scorer followed by Dye and Tull in that order.

Ben Hogan Is Enjoying New Position

Palm Springs, Calif., Jan. 30. (AP)—Ben Hogan is basking today in the California desert sun that lured him away from Texas. He's taken up his new job as golf pro at the Tamarisk Country Club and he's bubbling with enthusiasm. In this way: "Take a look at those beautiful palm and date trees. And look at those snow-covered mountains yonder. What's the name of them? (The San Jacinto range.) "Why, one can play golf here and pick off a ripe orange between fairway shots. That's for me!" His wife, Valerie, grinned and obviously agreed. It appears that life is good, indeed, for the little man who was nearly killed in an automobile crash two years ago, then made his great golfing comeback to win the National Open and PGA tourneys last year. The Tamarisk layout is eight miles southeast of Palm Springs. It will measure 7,100 yards from the long tees, with par of 36-38-72. A grand opening is planned for Feb. 22 and in April construction will begin on a \$250,000 clubhouse. Headquarters now are the adjoining Wonder Palm Hotel. Hogan, now playing a few tournaments a year, was asked whether, being this close to Los Angeles, he would play in the next Los Angeles Open a year hence. "Maybe I will," he said.

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Steers, Mustangs Win Contests In District 1-AAA Cage Race

Lions Travel To Lamesa On Thursday

Big Spring took over undisputed second place in the 1-AAA cage standings as a result of a 40-38 win over Plainview and Sweetwater's surprising 41-33 victory over Midland Tuesday night.

The Vernon Lions and the Lamesa Tornados were both idle, meeting instead Thursday night in a solitary 1-AAA game at Lamesa.

The Lions will open a two-day road trip with the Lamesa game, moving to Midland Friday night to end first half play.

Big Carl Anderson flipped in 17 points in leading the Mustangs to their first win of the season. Midland led 24-19 at the half, but a third period rally pulled Sweetwater up to 29-26 and the Mustangs were never headed. Robert Keisling hit 17 for Midland.

Big Spring came from behind in the final period to beat Plainview. Bud Whitney hit 12 points for the Steers and Wayne Taylor got 11 for Plainview.

The Midland Bees tripped the Sweetwater Bees 41-29 and Big Spring won its B game, 40-37.

Friday night action will see Vernon at Midland, Sweetwater at Plainview and Lamesa at Big Spring.

Hope Will Enter British Tourney

Hollywood, Jan. 30. (AP)—Some of the British columnists may not care to see Bob Hope and Bing Crosby together on an English golf course. But Bob says he's going to enter the British Amateur again this year, and that he and Bing might do some wagering over there.

Hope said he and Bing will take on any two British entertainers at golf for any side bet they want "and they can have Lloyds of London on their side."

Crosby is going to England again this Summer but he hasn't decided whether he'll compete in the British Amateur.

Some of the British writers criticized Bob and Bing for clowning on the golf courses. Both are four-handicap golfers. Crosby played in the 1950 British Amateur and Hope in the 1951. Both were eliminated in the first round.

Ollie Matson Gets Award As Top West Coast Athlete

Palo Alto, Calif., Jan. 30. (AP)—Ollie Matson, San Francisco's All-America fullback, received the Glenn S. "Pop" Warner award last night as last season's most valuable West Coast football player.

Warner, 80-year-old former Stanford and Carlisle Indians coach, made the presentation. Honor guests included Ty Cobb, Stanford Coach Chuck Taylor, Lynn Waldorf, California coach, and Joe Kuharich, Matson's coach at USC and now Chicago Cardinal mentor.

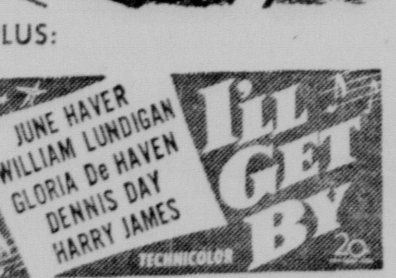
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Oklaunion Trips Valley View, 39-30

Harrold Defeats Lockett, 46-41 As Upsets Strike

Oklaunion tumbled Valley View from the ranks of the unbeaten in district play Tuesday night, but the Warriors maintained their 28-B cage lead as Lockett fell to an improving Harrold club.

Coach Milton Diltz' Cardinals were ready for the touted Warriors who had been setting a gaudy pace in 28-B play. Paced by Jimmy Koontz with 16 points, Oklaunion trimmed the Warriors 39-30.

The score was tied at the end of the half 18-18 and Oklaunion managed a 23-22 lead at the end of three periods. A determined Cardinal drive in the last half gave Oklaunion the win.

The Oklaunion girls made it a clean sweep by trouncing the Valley View girls 30-20.

Lockett, besieged by the flu, fell to Troy Hill's improving Hornets 46-41. J. C. Montoya of Lockett and George Petrus of Harrold got 18 points each.

The Lockett girls continued to lead the league with a convincing 44-13 drubbing of Harrold.

Northside led through most of the first half, but the loss of two key players for the Indians was too much as they lost to Odell 45-25.

The Indians led 17-10 at the first quarter. Joe Key got nine for Northside and Francis Neal 16 for Odell.

The Northside girls held onto the runner-up spot in league play with a 44-22 win over Odell girls.

Childress Bobcat Cagers Defeat Quanah Five, 40-35

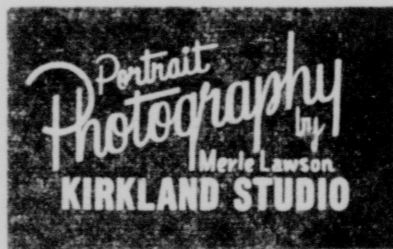
Quanah, Jan. 30. —The Childress Bobcats handed the Quanah Indians their eighth loss of the season with a 40-35 score here Friday night in a hotly-contested non-conference battle which the Childress County lads could not ice down until the final 30 seconds of play.

The Bobcats grabbed the lead early in the tussle but were never able to pull away from the Indians by more than five points at any time. After the middle of the first period, the Childress dribblers pulled away from the Indians and were tied at 30-30, but the Redskins could not go in front.

During the 14 days it was fighting its way out from the trap at Changlin Reservoir in Korea, last year, the First Marine Division collected \$30,135.63 for the March of Dimes, an average of \$1.20 from each Leatherneck.



SUN-KISSED SKIER—A curvaceous young miss smiles behind sun glasses as she braves January weather in a sun suit testing the Mt. Sunapee ski run. This is not the recommended ski habit for mIdady in New Hampshire's State Park at this time of the year. The sun is not guaranteed. (NEA)



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Jersey Joe Eyes Matthews Fight

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 30. (AP)—Felix Bocchichio, manager of World Heavyweight Champion Jersey Joe Walcott, was to confer today with "an actor's agent" in Washington, D. C., about a \$250,000 offer to Walcott to defend his title against Harry (Kid) Matthews.

Bocchichio made the announcement as he and the champion stopped here last night on the

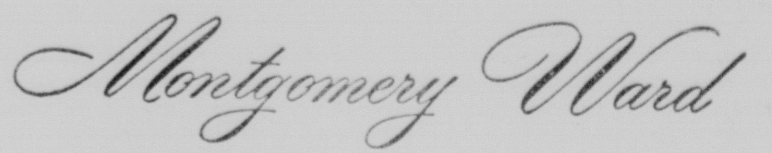
way to a personal appearance engagement at Lewistown, Pa.

Walcott has been ordered by the New York State Athletic Commission to sign for a title bout by Feb. 5 or forfeit the title in that State.

The proposed bout between Walcott and Matthews would be held in Los Angeles, Detroit, or Las Vegas, Nev. The actor's agent was identified as Harry Hunt of Los Angeles.

Matthews is rated as one of the top light-heavyweight contenders.

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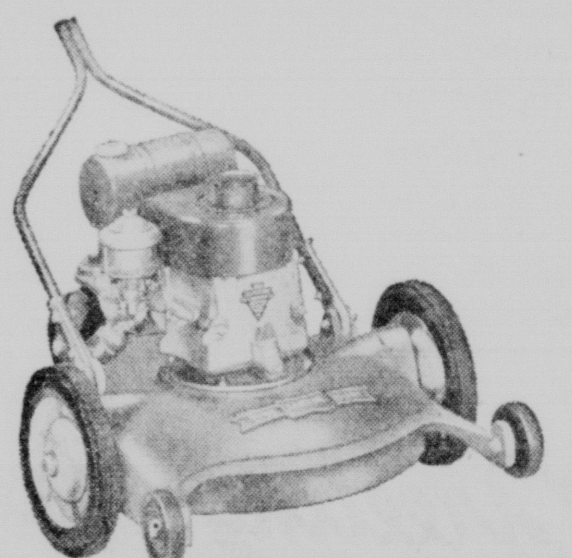


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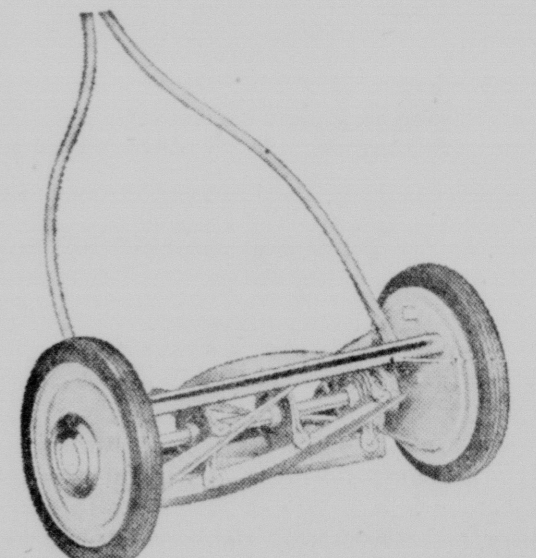
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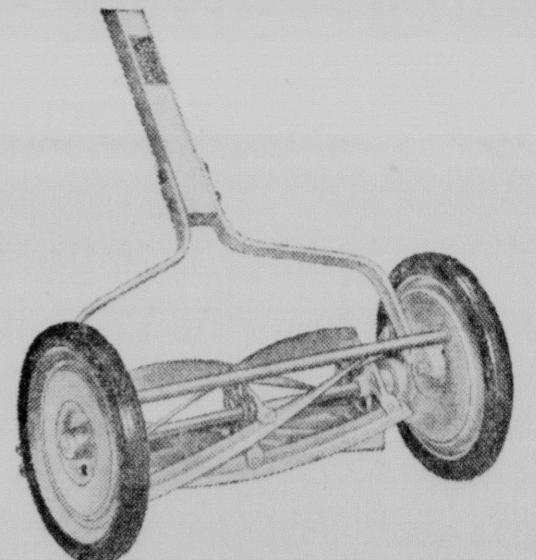
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Sweetwater Club Is Sold; To Stay in Longhorn Loop

(By The Associated Press)
The professional baseball set-up in Texas for 1952 has been completed and there will be one more club operating than did last year. Sherman dropped out of the Big State League and was replaced by Greenville while Longview replaced Gainesville. But Sherman became a member of the Sooner State League.

Otherwise there are no changes in the league mark-ups from last year. There are 34 clubs in seven leagues.

Sweetwater was the last club to settle its troubles. This club was having trouble staying in the Longhorn League but was bought by the A. C. Gonzalez interests this week and will continue.

El Paso was a member of the Southwestern International League last season but this year will be in the Arizona-Texas League.

Managers of all except seven clubs have been definitely announced.

Here are the Texas professional baseball clubs for 1952 with their managers:

Texas League—Dallas, L. D. Meyer; Houston, Al Hollingsworth; San Antonio, Joyner White; Beaumont, Harry Craft; Fort Worth, Bobby Bragan.

Big State League—Austin, Tom Jordan; Greenville, John Davis; Temple, Francis Parker; Tyler, Billy Capps; Texarkana, Tony York; Wichita Falls, Frank Mancuso. Hal Van Pelt is expected to be manager at Longview and Ted Gullie at Waco.

Gulf Coast League—Corpus Christi, Tom Pullig; Galveston, Stan Goletz; Harlingen, Bob Hamric; Laredo, Joe King; Port Arthur, Carl Carter. Dick Midkiff is expected to be manager at Brownsville and Malone Sanders at Texas City. Sooner State—Sherman, Benny Warren.

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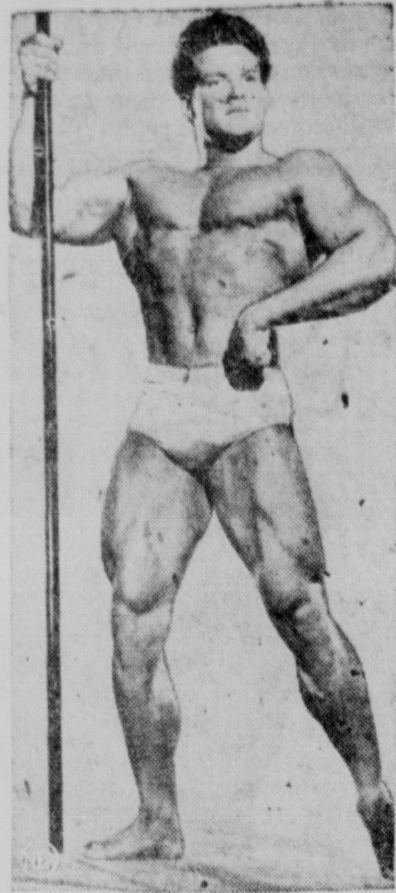
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Top Athlete Of Year Will Be Honored

Dallas, Jan. 30. (AP)—Billy Maxwell, the national amateur golf champion, and the top coaches of the year in Texas will be honored tonight at the annual Sports Achievement dinner of the Dallas YMCA.

Maxwell was selected by the Texas Sports Writers Association as the amateur athlete of the year. He edged Larry Isbell, Baylor's great football and baseball player, by two votes.

L. R. (Dutch) Meyer of Texas Christian, senior college coach of the year; Max Bumgardner of San Angelo, junior college coach of the year; Pat Pattison of Lubbock, high school coach of the year, and Maxwell will be honor guests at the dinner, expected to attract about 500 persons.

Dallas County coaches and athletes of the year also will be honored. The coaches are Jim Riley of Woodrow Wilson High School, Dallas; Tom Pruett, Grand Prairie High School; Waymon Wilson, Pleasant Grove High School, and Bill Lallicker, Wilmer-Hutchins High School. Their teams won district championships in classes AAAA, AAA, AA and A respectively last football season. Athletes selected for honors will not be announced until tonight.

Accompanying Maxwell will be his coach, Fred Cobb of North Texas State College.

Ben Hogan of Fort Worth, picked as southwesterner of the year, will not be able to attend. He has moved to California where he now is a golf club professional at Palm Springs.

In the voting to name the outstanding athlete, the results of which were not known until yesterday, Maxwell received 19 and Isbell 17. Others with their votes: Leon Leppard, Abilene Christian College, track, five; Bobby Dillon, Texas, football, four; Keith Flowers, Texas Christian, football; Pat Hubert, Texas A&M, baseball, and Darrow Hooper, Texas A&M, football and track, two each; Bill Howton, Rice, football and track, one.

Texas Wesleyan Cagers Top East Texas State, 70 to 69

Fort Worth, Jan. 30. (AP)—Texas Wesleyan took a 70-69 basketball victory over East Texas State of Commerce here last night.

The Rams staved off a brilliant Lion rally after leading as much as 13 points in the third quarter. East Texas, Lone Star Conference members, held a 69-68 advantage with less than a minute and a half to play.

Ralph Jackson's field goal, however, iced the game for the Big State Conference TWC quint.

Mel Chapman of TWC and Buddy Earl of ETSTC tied for scoring honors with 20 points each.

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A-HUNTING WE WILL GO—While Britain buzzed with rumors of an impending engagement, Princess Margaret Rose and the Earl of Dalkeith enjoyed a brisk stroll with the hounds during the Berkshire Hunt at Hume Castle, Berwickshire, Eng. The young Earl, heir to a fortune, is considered the likeliest contender for the hand of the pretty princess.

Freddy Benners to Decide On Law or Pro Grid Career

Dallas, Jan. 30. (AP)—Fred Benners, Southern Methodist's great passer, goes to New York today where he'll decide if he can continue his work toward a law degree and play professional football at the same time.

Benners was drafted by the New York Giants.

"I have to know whether I can carry on my law studies before I do anything about pro football," Benners said.

He emphasized that his law career comes first.

Coaching Clinic Scheduled By Baylor Group Feb. 20-22

Waco, Jan. 30. (AP)—A coaching clinic, held in conjunction with the last three days of the Baylor Spring football workouts, is set for high school and junior college coaches, Feb. 20-22.

Baylor Mentor George Sauer will lecture on offensive play and defensive play will be discussed by Line Coach Mike Michalske. Other Baylor coaching staff members will talk on care and treatment of injuries, scouting, and other topics.

No registration or tuition fees of any kind will be charged, but coaches will make their own arrangements for staying in Waco the three days.



BLASTS D. C.—Evangelist Billy Graham, seen with Bible in hand on the steps of the Capitol, says he is "disgusted and nauseated" by the moral corruption he has discovered during his spiritual crusade in Washington. The 33-year-old revivalist, now preaching to 10,000-plus audiences there, calls the capital the most sinful city he has ever seen.

Mauri Rose Retires as Top Racer

Indianapolis, Jan. 30. (AP)—Mauri Rose, 46, one of the best competitors in any sport, has retired from auto racing.

For the last 15 Memorial Day 500-mile races at Indianapolis Motor Speedway, the top drivers considered Rose the man to beat.

He won in 1947 and 1948 and was co-winner with Floyd Davis in 1941. He was leading in 1949, 20 miles from the finish, when a

broken magneto strap forced him out of the race.

Two years ago, fire broke out in his pit while he was refueling. He leaped into the car with smoke and carbon dioxide fumes still swirling around the cockpit and roared back into the race.

A cocky little guy with a big moustache and bigger pipe, if Rose ever knew fear he didn't show it. He smashed his car to pieces in the 1945 race. A few minutes later he was strolling calmly through the pits, charging his pipe.

Last Memorial Day his car lost a wheel and landed upside down in the infield. He survived because he knew how to hang on—and be-

cause he dropped into deep mud. Again he was back in the garage area a few minutes later showing no signs of nerves.

But the chances Mauri didn't mind taking for himself, he can't take for his two children, he decided. The mother of Mauri, Jr., 10, and Dory, 8, is dead. Mauri is divorced from his second wife. He has decided, he said last night at his home in Van Nuys, Calif., he can't afford to risk his life now.

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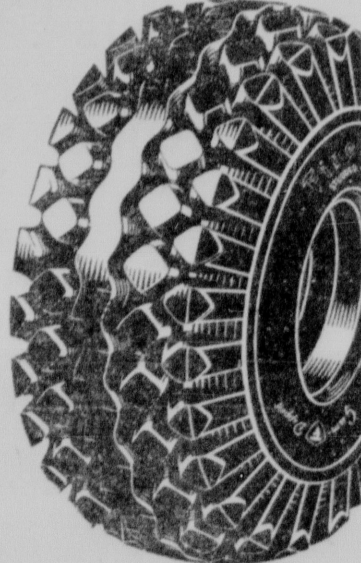
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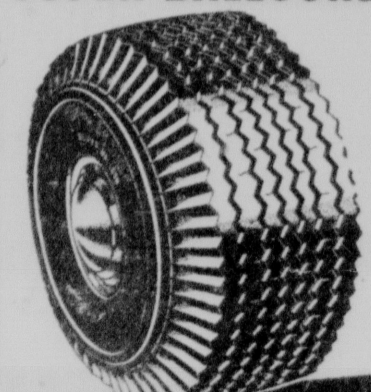
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W. O. Neal, Medicine Mound Rancher Celebrates 54 Years on Same Spread

By HENRY ASHFORD

Fifty-four years with the same ranch and still going strong could be a short summary of the career of W. O. Neal, 77-year-old Hardeman County pioneer and cattleman who is still active in the management and operation of one of this section's oldest and largest ranches.

Mr. Neal was born on Halloween Day, Oct. 31, 1874 at Budville, six miles north of Fort Worth on what is now the Grapevine highway. He claims Fort Worth as his home town.

In 1897, Mr. Neal came to what is now Medicine Mound, southeast of Quanah, to manage a 6,471-acre spread purchased by his father, a pioneer of Tarrant and Dallas counties. He married the daughter of a pioneer Hardeman County couple, purchased his father's interest in the ranch in 1913, reared four children and remained active on the ranch until a few years ago when he and his wife moved to their comfortable home in Quanah, leaving a son, W. O. (Boots) Neal, his wife and their son, Billy, to take care of the everyday chores with the assistance of a hired hand.

Not a single acre has been sold or added to the ranch since it came into the Neal family 54 years ago.

In recalling his growth to manhood on the ranch on which he was born, Boots tells that his father was not a hard task maker, but he expected the best from all who worked for him. He would never compliment his children for a task well done, but if the veteran cowman never complained, the children knew their work was satisfactory.

Taking a cowboy's role in all round-ups, Mr. Neal was always one of the top hands. He never left the work for the hired hands, but did his share, and more, of the riding and roping. He was a natural roper, handling the rope slack in such a manner that he never became entangled. Men who have worked round-ups with him say that the snap of his wrist after a throw meant that the rope had found its target. One of his secrets of being a good roper was that he rode good roping ponies and never made long, haphazard throws.

Pioneering and ranching were bred in Mr. Neal, as his maternal grandparents left Missouri in a covered wagon and came to Farmers Branch in Dallas County in 1843 to ranch. Upon their arrival in Texas, their horses and livestock were promptly stolen by Indians to leave them in a precarious position to start their life in their new home.

Young Neal was reared on a ranch and worked with his father and uncle, Charlie Neal, who started ranching in Young County in the early 1870's.

He went with a herd of 2,000 cattle which were moved from Young County to the free grasslands in the Oklahoma Territory in 1892 and was forced to stop at Tolbert to cross into Oklahoma because of the quarantine line which started near there to block further travel into West Texas. The cattle were unloaded from the train and Mr. Neal and his uncle were forced to herd the cattle for several hours during the dead of night until cowboys could arrive from their camp several miles away.

In Oklahoma, he headquartered near the old Doan's Crossing in Greer County. At that time there were no fences between Greer County and Woodward, nearest shipping point to the only cattle markets which were at Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago.

On a drive with the Neal herd to Woodward, the cattle were leisurely grazed over the 100-mile route to fatten them as



W. O. (Boots) Neal, pictured at right, is shown with his wife and their son, Billy, as they ride the range of the Neal Ranch at Medicine Mound to inspect the cattle being wintered there. Boots is now a partner in the 6,741-acre spread with his father, W. O. Neal, who has managed the ranch since 1897. The younger Neal is still living on the ranch where he was born and is active in the operation of the ranch.

much as possible before shipment. Mr. Neal kept Indians friendly on the drives by occasionally giving them a beef.

The young cowpoke made his first trip to a large city in 1892 when he went with a shipment of cattle to Chicago. The fact that State Street was 28 miles long possibly impressed him more than anything else about Chicago.

In 1897, his father purchased the Medicine Mound Ranch in Hardeman County from Henry Dunson, changed the name to Neal Ranch and sent his 23-year-old son to manage the spread. His first home in this county was a dugout located a short distance from the present headquarters. The first ranch house was built just before the turn of the century on the same location as the present house.

He married Miss Alma Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Baker, who arrived in this county before Mr. Neal. They have four children. They are: W. O. (Boots) Neal, who lives on the ranch at Medicine Mound; Oscar Neal, who is with the Internal Revenue Bureau at Dallas; John Neal of Fort Worth, who is employed with the Producers' Grain Co. of Amarillo, and Mrs. Robert Watts of Ruston, La.

Mr. Neal purchased his father's interest in the ranch in 1913 and he recalls that his first year

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as the sole owner was a very dry one. He was forced to feed cattle during the entire Summer, to suffer a financial set-back which took him some time to overcome. The drought of 1918 gave him a bad time, also, but he managed to weather it, along with other ranchmen of this area.

Mr. Neal nursed his ranch through the bad years and made it pay. Now at the age of 77, he leaves the round-up chores to his son, now a partner, but takes part in every decision to be made concerning operation of the ranch.

More than 560 acres of the ranch are in cultivation. The larger part of this acreage is devoted to wheat, however some feedstuff is grown.

Mr. Neal and Boots are now experimenting with Angus-Brahma crossed cattle and the results are proving to be very satisfactory. They have had several head of Angus and Brahma cattle on the ranch for a few years and the Angus-Brahma calves which have been bred are making the experiment a profitable one.

Another experiment carried on at the ranch is with Lester Master beef cattle, purchased from the ranch at Falfurrias, Texas. One bull has gained from 750 pounds to 1,270 pounds in a year and a second has gained from 710 to 1,180 pounds. Their coming two-year-old heifers average 943 pounds.

Mr. Neal stated that more cattle were run on the ranch in the early days than now because of the grazed-out conditions which exist in the grasslands today. However, about 600 head of cattle are being wintered on the ranch in spite of the fact that the herd was sold down considerably last year.

Boots is following in the footsteps of his father, as his first love is ranching and he takes an active part in community affairs. He is vice chairman of the Hardeman County Production and Marketing Committee, a member of the County School Board, a director of the Santa Rosa Telephone Co-Op, and a deacon of the Medicine Mound Baptist Church. He served as finance officer for a new church building which opened in Medicine Mound last August.

When the North Texas Wolf Hunters Association was faced with the problem of moving their hunting grounds from Hardeman County, one of the best coyote hunting grounds in West Texas, of disbanding, when their hunts were forced from good locations because of refusal of permission from land owners or poison which was placed in pastures, Mr. Neal and his son came to the rescue by offering a permanent hunting ground of their ranch.

The association later merged with the Oklahoma Fox Hunters Association to become the North Texas-Oklahoma Fox & Wolf Hunters Association.

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W. T. WAGGONER ESTATE

No Confidence Vote Is Asked

London, Jan. 30. (AP)—Labor members of Parliament demanded a vote of no confidence in the Conservative Government today for proposing curbs on Britain's costly social services as part of a drastic economy program.

The motion was filed in the House of Commons just before the start of a two-day debate on Spartan proposals by R. A. Butler, Chancellor of the Exchequer, to put the country on its feet financially.

The motion was in the form of an amendment to one by Prime Minister Churchill asking House approval of the Butler plan.

If the Laborites should put their motion across, Churchill would have to resign and ask for a new national election. But the Conservative majority of 14 is expected to prevail when the vote comes tomorrow night.

Pushing the attack on the Conservative Government was Aneurin Bevan, the fiery Socialist who quit the Labor regime last Spring

because the cost of arming led to charging for false teeth and spectacles.

Man Denies Hanging His Wife; Indicted

Fort Worth, Jan. 30. (AP)—A 42-year-old Tarrant County truck driver protested his innocence after a grand jury indicted him for murder in the Dec. 21 hanging of his wife.

Louie Meeks was arrested by Sheriff's deputies yesterday soon after the indictment was returned and released on \$10,000 bond almost immediately.

Mrs. Meeks was found hanging by an electric extension cord from a rafter in the couple's three-room frame home near Grapevine.

"I'm innocent in my heart," said Meeks, "I've gone the whole limit in trying to tell the truth."

INFANT DROWNS

Bowie, Jan. 30. (AP)—Diane Kay Andreasen, 15 months old, drowned yesterday in a concrete water trough near her home. The girl, a twin, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Andreasen of Bowie.

Worst Is Over In Flooded Area

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 30. (AP)—The flood crest of the Ohio River rolled toward this south-central Ohio city today, but it was believed the worst was over.

Temperatures far below freezing clipped off several feet from expected crests and left several towns which had anticipated extensive damage unscathed.

Upstream the flood had caused 8,000 to 10,000 to flee their homes. Ten were dead or missing.

The river crested yesterday at Marietta, O., where about one-third of the business district and scattered residential areas were inundated.

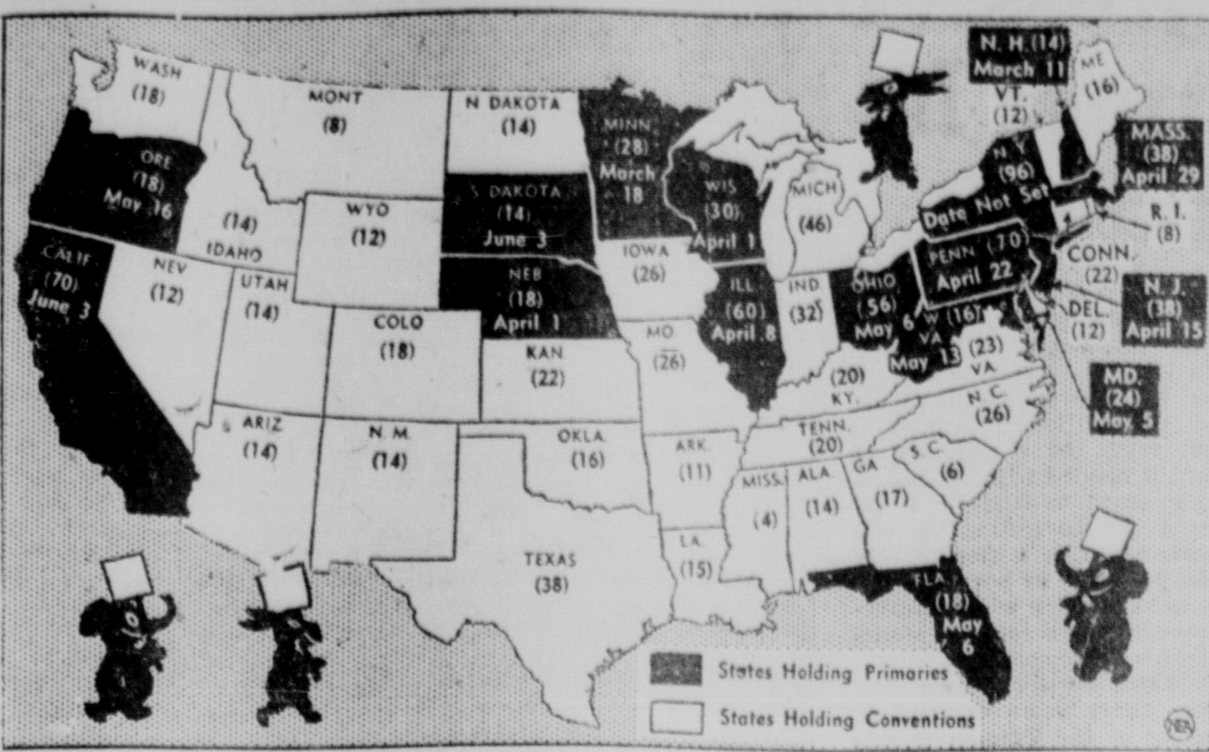
Downstream at Parkersburg, W. Va., the river crested at 44.36 feet, more than eight feet above flood stage, late yesterday.

At both Marietta and Parkersburg the water began falling and work toward normal living began.

Soon after midnight the river's rise came to a near-halt at Pomeroy and Middleport, O., some 35 miles below Parkersburg. The entire business section of Pomeroy had been invaded by the flood waters but most homes in the area escaped.

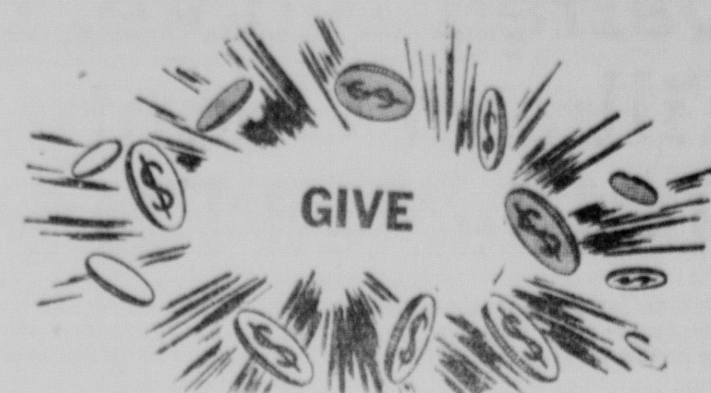
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PRIMARY TIME IS NEAR—The newsmag above shows states holding Presidential preferential primaries and those holding nominating conventions. Date of each primary is given. Numbers in parenthesis denote each state's delegation to be chosen for the GOP national convention in July.

During polio epidemics, the serious bulbar type of polio occurs more frequently in individuals who have recently had their tonsils removed. It is believed that after a throat operation the virus can more easily gain entrance into the brain through exposed nerve endings in the throat. Such operations should be avoided, if possible, when polio is around.



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Texas Enjoys Perfect Weather, But No Rain

(By The Associated Press)

Texans could enjoy "unusually good" winter weather again today.

And remember that exactly a year ago sub-freezing temperatures spread over most of the State. Ice, sleet and snow gripped most of the State. It was the big freeze that moved on down the State and into the citrus groves of the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Nothing like that today, and the Weather Bureau sees little change for the next three days—maybe a few more clouds Friday.

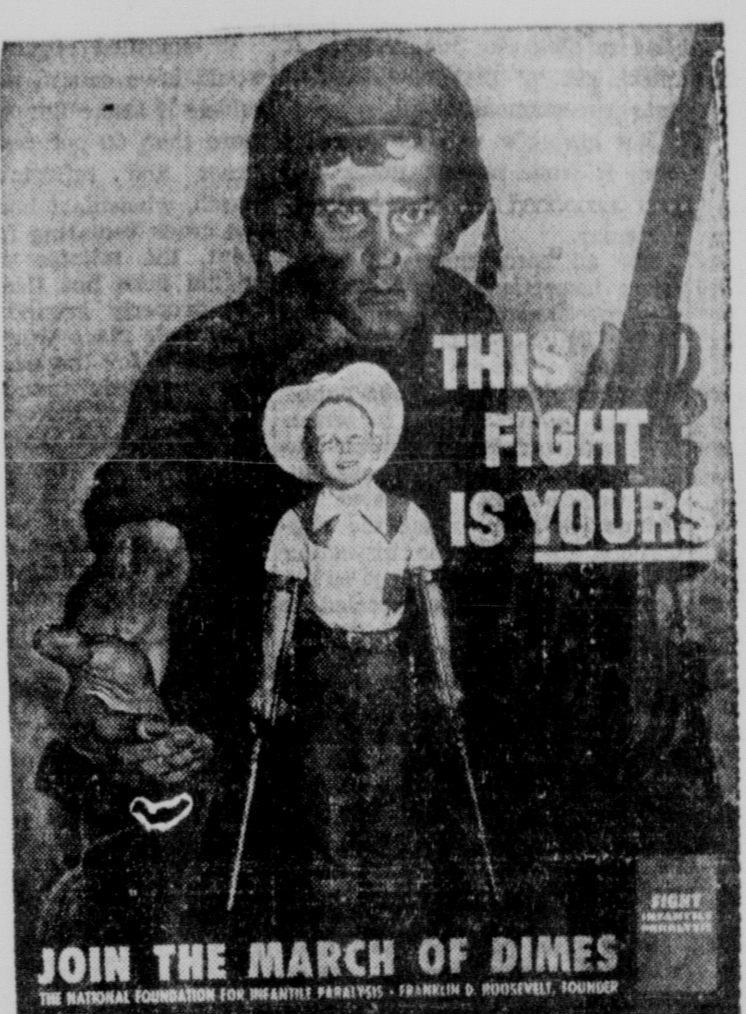
Overnight lows included 20 at Dalhart, 27 at Amarillo, 30 at Childress, 31 at Amarillo, 32 at Texarkana, 33 at El Paso, 39 at San Benito, 40 at Tyler and Fort Worth and on up to 51 at Brownsville.

No rain was reported yesterday or last night.

BEHIND SCHEDULE

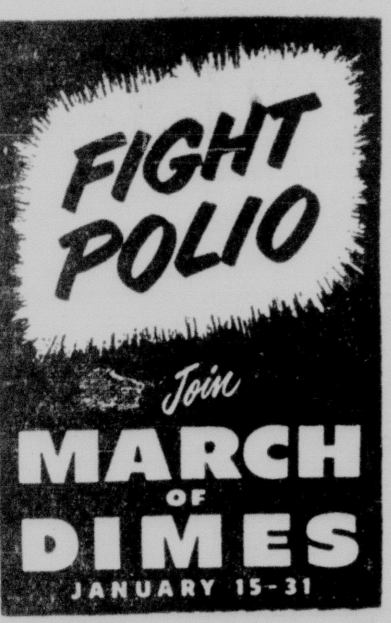
Beaumont, Jan. 30. (AP)—Jefferson County poll tax payments apparently are far behind the payments of four years ago. Assessor-Collector W. T. Blackmon said yesterday he had counted only 25,000 payments. However, many receipt books were out and an accurate estimate was impossible. Blackmon could give no reason for the lag behind 1948's 41,000 poll tax payments.

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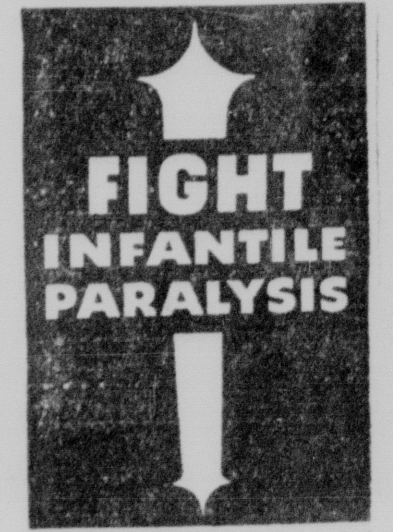
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Darrell Moore, Progressive Tillman County Farmer Is Re-Elected FB President

Darrell Moore, recently elected to serve his fifth term as president of the Tillman County Farm Bureau, is one of many successful farmers in Tillman County who has contributed much to the growth of that organization in the county and in the state, and who has concentrated upon improving his own farming practices to assure continued success.

On his own 960 acre farm just southwest of Grandfield, Oklahoma, Mr. Moore follows a completely diversified farming plan. Though alfalfa is his principal crop, he also raises wheat, cotton, grain sorghums and legumes. The wheat is of the Comanche Certified and Registered variety, which has proved vastly successful in this area. The alfalfa is a hardy strain that has been developed in conjunction with the Oklahoma Crop Improvement Association, and has proved ideal for this general territory. This alfalfa has a remarkable winter record.

Crop Rotation
A firm believer in crop rotation, Mr. Moore follows this practice to the letter on his land. As

a further soil conservation practice, his acreage is terraced, with the exception of an estimated 160 acres. He was one of the pioneers in the Grandfield vicinity in soil terracing.

At one time Mr. Moore maintained a herd of registered Duroc hogs for fattening; however, he feels that the local situation does not warrant this practice at this time. This decision is based mainly on the fact that it is quite hard to obtain the proper feed at a price ratio which will permit a satisfactory profit. He told this reporter that the decision not to feed hogs may be temporary for the time, but that this year he will devote his efforts to the raising of grain, cotton, and alfalfa—his major crop.

Cooperates With A&M
During the past three years, Mr. Moore has been working with Oklahoma A. & M. College in experiments concerning row spacing and pollination by bees. Though the results have not yet been compiled, they will be available to all farmers this spring. The experiments will be conducted this spring for the fourth

year in a four-to-five year plan entered into by Oklahoma A. & M. and Mr. Moore.

In his soil conservation practices, Mr. Moore was one of the first Tillman County farmers to plant vetch. As a rule, rye or wheat is planted with vetch as a "nurse crop" to hold it up for more ease in harvesting. Vetch is considered to be a fine pasture grass for cattle or hogs between the end of winter wheat pasturage and the appearance of natural forage in the spring.

Farm Bureau Record
Mr. Moore is an outstanding member of the Tillman County Farm Bureau. Because of an extreme interest in his community and his belief in the voice of every man, he became associated with the Farm Bureau in 1943, and since that time has spent endless time and energy to its betterment. Since joining the organization, Mr. Moore has served four full terms as president, and is now in his fifth term. Other years he has served on the Board of Directors. In his comments regarding the Farm Bureau in Tillman County, he told us that this county was one of ten charter counties to step forward in Oklahoma in 1941, when the Farm Bureau was organized in the state. From its original membership of 54 during the first year, the Tillman County Farm Bureau has grown by leaps and bounds until its present membership is 679, and the Bureau has set a 1942 quota of 850 members.

Though Mr. Moore is busy with his own farm, experiments on his acreage and Farm Bureau work, he has also found time to render many other fine services to his county. He has been president of the Tillman County Free Fair Board since 1946; served one year on the Board of Directors of the Grandfield Chamber of Commerce; three years with the Tillman County Alfalfa Seed Growers Association, and is now a member of the Board of Directors of that organization. He was chairman of a Tillman County Committee which was instrumental in securing a Sandy Land Experiment Station for the county, which was recently located southeast of Mangum, and is now on the advisory board of the station. The financing of this station was the only New Money Appropriations bill to be passed in the Oklahoma State Legislature last year, and the station is to be operated with the cooperation of Oklahoma A. & M. College.



DARRELL MOORE

Sting Is Taken Out of Car Inspection Law; It'll Pass

By MAC ROY RASOR

Austin, Jan. 30. (P)—Crank up that rattling old jalopy, pop. It might get by that new fangled auto inspection after all.

Not having a windshield won't keep it from passing under the new liberalized regulations issued yesterday.

For all "cars, they will mean faster inspections and fewer rejections, Department of Public Safety Director Homer Garrison promises.

The revisions were made public by Gov. Allan Shivers to whom they had been submitted by the State Public Safety Commission. The Governor had suggested the commission should ease the regulations to make the inspection law workable or recommend to the Legislature that it be repealed or revised.

"It now appears that the inspection requirements have been reduced to a minimum," he said, "and if a car will roll it should pass the inspection."

He called for the cooperation of the inspection stations, enforcement officers and the general public to make the law work as "a real safety measure and a means of saving lives."

Page after page of the former stringent requirements were struck from the inspection manual

by the terse two-page revision order.

It cancelled requirements that would have caused rejection of a vehicle if brake linings were worn more than 60 per cent, headlamp lenses and reflectors did not match, windshield had more than one crack radiating from a single point, the tailpipe was pinched, or the horn not firmly mounted and properly grounded.

In their place were regulations requiring, for the most part, that safety devices function properly at the time of inspection.

Public Safety Commission Chairman Roxie H. Thompson said the sweeping changes, however, did not alter intent of the law, which he said was designed to "reduce deaths, injuries and destruction of properties by dangerous and me-

chanically unsafe motor vehicles."

"We believe the objections that have been made will be minimized by the amended regulations after ample time has been given to put the program into operation," he said.

Sen. John Bell of Cuero and Rep. Jerry A. Stewart of Fairfield, sponsors of the act in the Legislature, assisted the commission and Col. Garrison in drawing up the revisions. The changes came after irate car owners and legislators over the State complained of long inspection lines and big repair bills necessary to get a car by the old requirements.

Briefly, these are the major requirements for passing the inspection as newly revised:

Brakes must be equalized and must stop the vehicle in 30 feet at 20 miles per hour if four-wheel brakes or in 40 feet at 20 miles per hour if brakes not on all wheels.

Headlights must burn on both high and low beam and be of at least 3,500 candlepower.

One red tail lamp and a white light illuminating the rear license plate are required on every vehicle.

Stop lights are required on all cars sold new after Jan. 1, 1948. Horn must be audible at 200 feet.

Steering wheel must have not more than four inches free motion.

Wheel alignment will be rejected if front wheels have sideslip or scuff in excess of 30 feet per mile.

Windshields must have no serious discoloration, cracks, or breaks that seriously affect driver vision. No windshield is not cause for rejection.

Windshield wipers must be in good working order. Manually operated wipers permissible.

Muffler and exhaust system must have no serious leaks.

No stickers will be permitted on windshields except those installed for identification purposes, such as military installations, parking lots and the like. These must be in the lower right hand corner of the windshield. "Handicapped veteran" stickers are permitted in the extreme upper right hand corner of the windshield.

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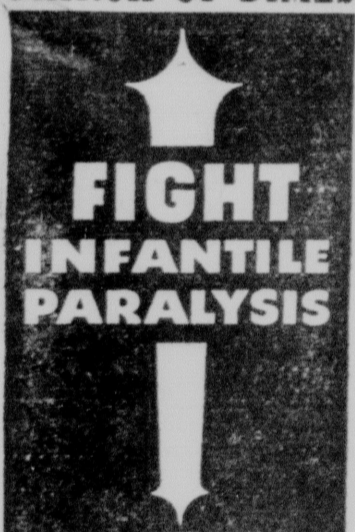
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Hearing on Tax Dispute Sought

Marshall, Jan. 30. (AP)—Legal means will be used to get a hearing from the Treasury Department by Marshall housewives protesting collection of social security taxes from domestic help.

The enraged housewives, 17 of them, told Secretary Snyder in a letter yesterday that they would file a court suit for the hearings previously denied them.

The women said they had filed reports for the last quarter of 1951 but sent petitions of "just grievance" along with the reports.

They have protested the tax regulations which would require them to collect and pay social security taxes for household employees. They claim the amendments violate the federal constitution and make them tax collectors of the government against their will.

Action on notices of seizure, received last week from the Internal Revenue Bureau, are awaited by the women. They were given ten days in which to pay domestic taxes for the second and third quarters of 1951. The ten days are up but no seizures, such as were done last August, have been reported.

Former Rep. Martin Dies, attorney for the group of women, filed a refund application for \$55.71 taken by the Government last summer. The refunds have



PIGTAILED PEACH—Nancy Boyer, 13, last year's winner of the girls' national midget skating championship, is entered in Chicago's Silver Skates Derby, Jan. 19-20. She outfought polio seven years ago. (NEA) •

been denied and Dies has said he would file suit asking return of the seized funds.

Egypt May Join Defense Effort

Cairo, Egypt, Jan. 30. (AP)—An Egyptian Foreign Office spokesman indicated today Egypt would join a Middle East defense command if her current dispute with Britain is solved to this country's satisfaction.

The spokesman said this was the "personal impression" of the new Premier, Aly Maher Pasha.

"If the other parts of the Egyptian case are dealt with satisfactorily from the Egyptian viewpoint, Egypt would naturally consider such participation favorably."

"The principle of participation of Egypt in a defensive Middle East pact in the framework of the charter of the United Nations is part of the whole Egyptian case."

"The National Front (Government) which is now under formation at the moment will have to decide Egypt's attitude toward this question, as well as toward all other aspects of the Egyptian case."

The new strongman Premier met with ambassadors of the four powers which last October proposed that Egypt join the West in a Middle East pact to defend the Suez Canal.

Winners May Ask for Relaxed OPS Regulation

New Orleans, Jan. 30. (AP)—Relaxed regulations by the Office of Price Stabilization were expected to be asked today by the National Cotton Ginners Association.

The ginners said yesterday they will ask for regulations similar to those proposed in Dallas early this month by the Texas Cotton Ginners Association.

Executive Vice President Jay C. Stille of the Texas group said the requests would be for a 20 per cent increase over the 1951 ginning rates. Other adjustments would also be asked, he said, and predicted they would be accepted.

DRIVE-IN LIBRARY

Beaumont, Jan. 30. (AP)—A "drive-in" branch library in a municipal park is planned here for the city's Turrell Public Library. Parking problems at the downtown library prompted the move. Mayor Otho Plummer explained patrons wouldn't be able to drive up to the desk and check out books, but their parking problems would be minimized. Plummer said the drive-in would be ready for use about May 1, and two other planned branches about Aug. 1.

Fifty out of every 100 individuals contracting polio recover completely, 25 suffer a slight handicap, not enough to interfere with normal activities; 17 suffer severe paralysis and about eight of the 100 die.



"SNOWSHOVELING, ANYONE?"—So you think you had trouble digging YOUR car out of the snow! Weep for the plight of the Emigrant Gap, Calif., car owner whose auto is buried under this 12-foot-high snowdrift. It's not far from where the streamliner City of San Francisco was snowbound for three days.

Governor Speaks at Graduation Exercises

Fort Sill, Okla., Jan. 30. (AP)—A tongue-in-cheek address by Gov. Allan Shivers highlighted graduation exercises here yesterday for 87 artillery officer candidates.

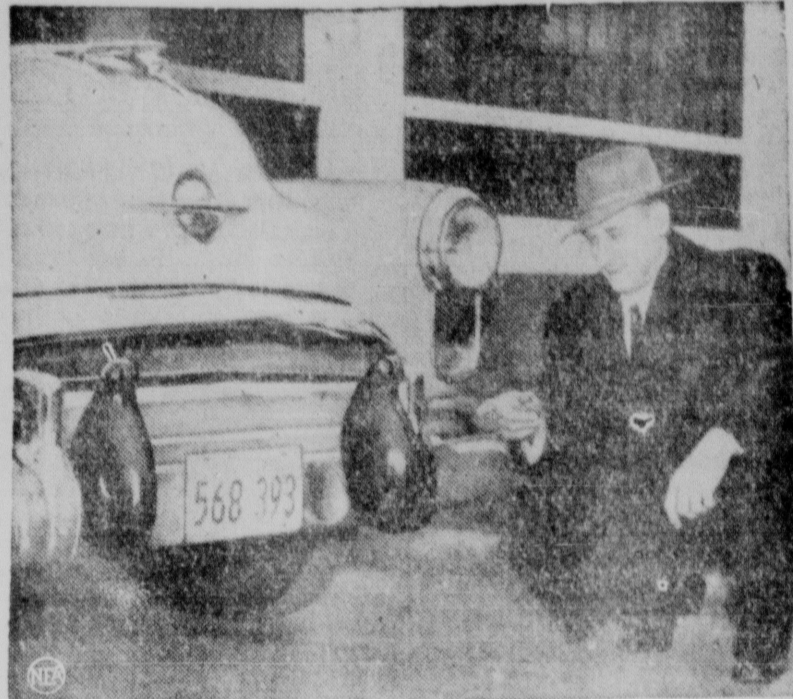
Shivers was here to see his nephew, John R. Goodwin of Port Arthur, Texas, become a second lieutenant in the Artillery.

Asked to speak by Maj. Gen. A. M. Harper, the band then surprised the Governor by breaking into a military salute and swinging into "The Eyes of Texas."

Shivers remarked Texas had a great interest in the Fort Sill section because so many native sons were there. "We might even try to annex this part of Oklahoma," he said.

Shivers was a lieutenant colonel in military government in Europe in World War II.

In the breeding season of wild ducks, mallard drakes dogfight in the air for a female's favor.



MORE BOUNCE TO THE BUMP—Inventor Jeff Corydon II of Chicago shows off his new "Bump-Air" guards that promise to produce a livelier bounce when Mama rams the rear wall of the garage. The inflated rubber guards are designed to be mounted on steel auto bumpers. Corydon will make them himself.

Testimony Heard In Murder Trial

Odessa, Jan. 30. (AP)—Testimony began today in the murder trial of Floyd O'Neal Bunch, 22, Odessa, accused of stomping Jack Strickland, 49, Fort Stockton, to death during a "kangaroo court" session in city jail "tank" here last July 26.

The jury was completed late yesterday.

Patrolman A. F. Thomas testified he arrested Strickland for being drunk on the night of July 25 and placed him in the tank. He said Strickland appeared to be in good health and had no cuts or bruises.

Patrolman J. A. Faulk said he arrested Bunch, along with his

brother, Marion Chester Bunch, 21, on the night of July 25 and placed both in the tank on drunkenness charges. Marion Chester Bunch also was indicted in the slaying but will be tried separately.

Both patrolmen said they did not check the men in the tank during the night because they "assumed everything was all right."

It is estimated that 80 per cent of all adults are immune to at least one of the three known types of polio virus. There is no racial, social or economic group less susceptible than another. At birth a baby possesses the same immunity as its mother. Such "passive" immunity lasts for from six months to the first two years of life. Active immunity results from production of antibodies after exposure to the virus.



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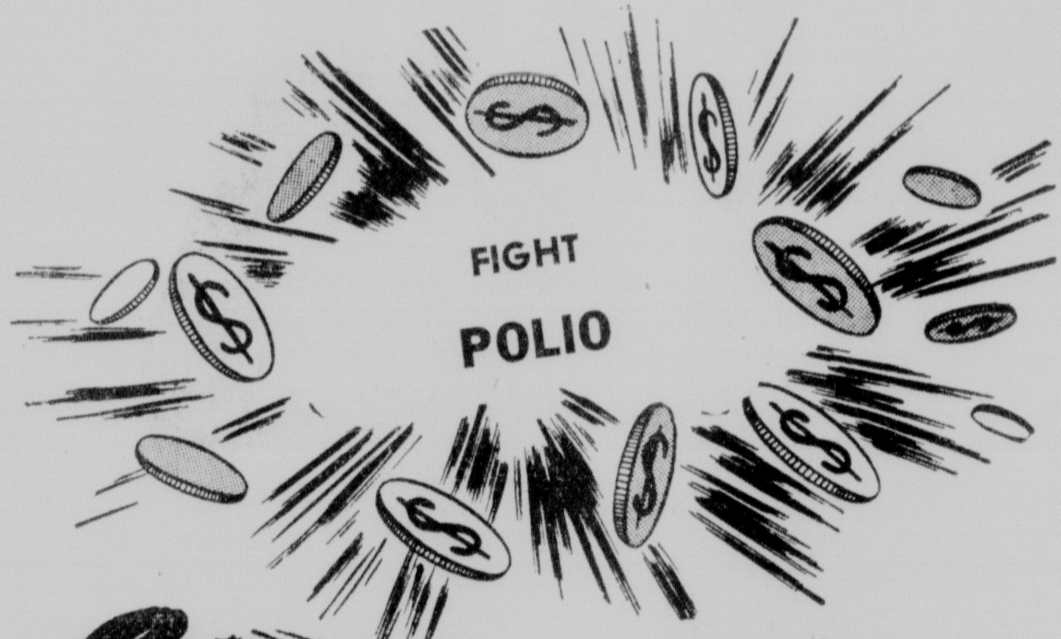
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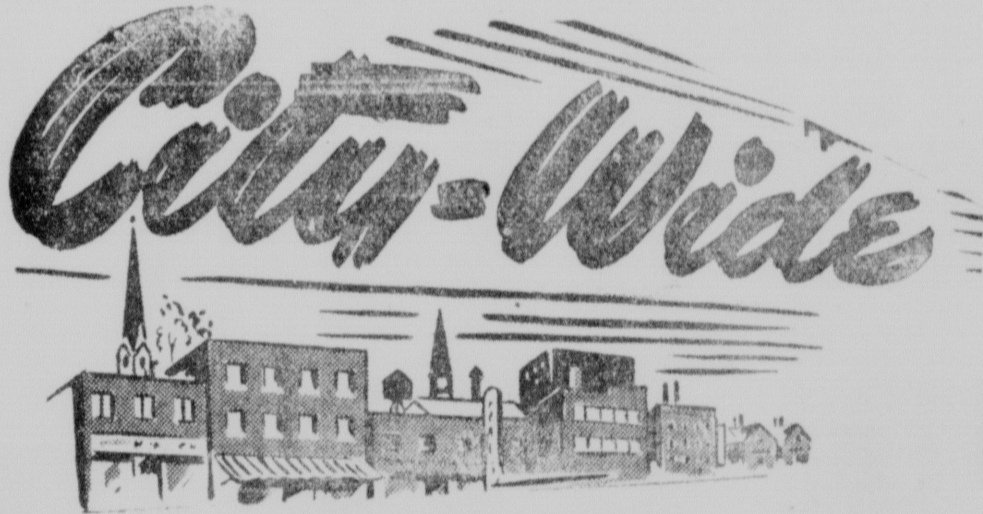
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Vincent Denies He Ever Was Red

Washington, Jan. 30. (AP)—Career Diplomat John Carter Vincent swore to Senate investigators today that he is not and never has been a Communist. He also denied any sympathy with Communism.

"I am strongly attached to the principle of representative democracy and to our system of free enterprise," the slight, gray-haired State Department official told the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee.

The subcommittee, headed by Senator McCarran, Democrat, Nevada, is carrying on a lengthy search for any evidence of Communist influences on U. S. policies in the Far East.

Louis F. Budenz, former managing editor of the Communist Daily Worker, twice told the Senators last year that before he broke with the Communist Party in 1945 he knew from official party reports that Vincent was a Communist.

Denying what he called Budenz' "irresponsible and malicious" charges, Vincent said: "It is not a Communist and have never been a member of the Communist Party. I have never sympathized with the aims of Communism."

He went on to say: "Any attempt through malicious testimony to cause the American people to lose confidence in their officials, or in each other, is in itself subversive to the interests and security of our country."

"When, as in my case, the official represents his country abroad, the effect may be doubly harmful."

Vincent now is the U. S. diplomatic agent at Tangier. He formerly was Minister to Switzerland and chief of the State Department's China division.



SHE'S NOT FRIGHTENED—Little Elaine Gannon, of Schenectady, N. Y., is looking up fearlessly at the stern visage of El Rey, a reproduction of a mammoth, 15-ton stone head believed carved by Mexicans at the beginning of the Christian Era, and now on display in New York. The original, the largest carved stone ever found, still lies in the jungle where it was discovered.

Taft To Challenge Ike in New Hampshire Primary Poll

Washington, Jan. 30. (AP)—Senator Robert A. Taft decided today to challenge Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower for the Republican presidential nomination in the New Hampshire primary March 11.

Taft, in a statement, said he had not asked his supporters to enter the New Hampshire primary—first in the nation—but they had done so.

"Win, lose or draw, I, therefore, feel I should permit the preference vote to be taken in New Hampshire," the Ohio Senator said.

Harold E. Stassen, another aspirant for the Republican nomination, also has been entered in the New Hampshire preferential primary but Taft made no mention of him in formally challenging Eisenhower.

Taft said "the political machine of the present State administration is openly pledged to General Eisenhower" in New Hampshire.

This was a reference to Gov. Sherman Adams, Senator Tobey and other New Hampshire Republicans.

"Despite those factors which are apparently unfavorable," Taft said he would not exercise his

SCORNS AWARD

Springfield, Colo., Jan. 30. (AP)—The mother of an Army man killed in Korean fighting has sent to President Truman a Purple Heart medal awarded her son posthumously. Mrs. Edith Rosengrant said her son, Pfc. Dock Rosengrant, was killed last Aug. 10 near Sinchon. "I wish every parent of every boy killed over there would do the same," Mrs. Rosengrant said. "We should flood Washington with these medals until we get as brave men there as are being killed in Korea."



UNGRATEFUL—Actress Virginia Mayo displays umbrellas sent to Los Angeles by Miami, to aid the California city in the battle against torrential rains. But L. A. officials said the umbrellas must have endured Florida hurricanes and were in no condition to add anything but trouble.



JAPANESE ON THE MARCH—Japanese Police Reserves go through realistic training in the snow-covered area near Matsuyama in the Nagoya Prefecture. In full gear, with camouflaged suits and Browning automatic rifles, they march down each side of the road in the formation that is part of their training.

Polio Victim Will Be Sent to Fort Worth

Big Spring, Jan. 30. (AP)—A private railroad car was to take little Susan Robb, 4-year-old polio victim to Fort Worth today.

Susan, a patient at Malone Hogan Hospital here since last November, has improved enough to be transferred to the polio ward of Fort Worth's city-county hospital.

She'll make the trip in the iron lung in which she has lived for two months.

The Texas & Pacific Railroad is attaching Susan's car to a regular passenger train today. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Robb of Odessa.

LAD DIES

Odessa, Jan. 30. (AP)—William Alden Rogers, Jr., 2, died yesterday after taking resting pills he found in the family medicine cabinet. Relatives said the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rogers swallowed at least six of the pills. He died two hours later.

WARNED OF MINE

New Orleans, Jan. 30. (AP)—Gulf Coast shipping has been warned of an explosive mine floating loose in the Gulf near Pensacola, Fla. The Coast Guard yesterday continued a search for the horned, rusty ball of high explosive reported seen by a trawler.

Classified Ads—bring results!

North Atlantic Admiral Named

Washington, Jan. 30. (AP)—Admiral Lynde B. McCormick, commander of the U. S. Atlantic fleet, today was named supreme allied naval commander of the North Atlantic.

As the first boss of a peacetime international fleet, the 56-year-old Navy veteran will direct the sea activities of all nations in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

He will be on sea what General Dwight D. Eisenhower is on land. The appointment of McCormick was announced simultaneously in Washington and London — by President Truman and by NATO.

McCormick's operations will extend up to but will not include the coastal areas of the British Isles. As his first move after receiving the appointment, McCormick announced the selection of Vice Admiral Sir William Andrews of Britain, now commander in chief of the British-American-West Indians station, as deputy.

Scion of an old seagoing family, McCormick has had long and close associations with the British.

He served with the British Fleet in World War One and took part in some of the conferences with Great Britain during the Second World War.

The way was cleared for the appointment of an American as Supreme Allied naval commander during Winston Churchill's visit to Washington earlier this month.

Up to that time, the British Prime Minister had been vigorously opposed to naming an American to the post.

McCormick is an Annapolis graduate, Class of 1915. His father was a Rear Admiral and McCormick himself was born in Annapolis. He was graduated second in a class of 1915.

He became Chief of Naval Operations in 1949 and moved up to commander of the Atlantic Fleet last year.

Reapers Class Luncheon Held

The Reapers Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday for a luncheon in the youth building of the church. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames W. M. Thomas, M. O. Johnson and W. C. Griffith. Mrs. E. S. James led the invocation.

Following the luncheon Mrs. Guinn Davenport, class president, conducted a business session. Mrs. Travis Fitzgerald, standard of excellence chairman, reported on the class standard. A devotional was given by Mrs. Jack White.

Members present were Mesdames James, V. G. Rowell, Bill Hutton, Charles Winter, Howard Cook, Fitzgerald, Davenport, A. R. Skipworth, Charles Earhman, W. F. Morris, White, W. F. Ragland, Thomas, Johnson and Griffith.

Jessie Guice Circle Meets to Plan Banquet

The Jessie Guice Circle of Calvary Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Harvey Lawlis, 1910 Wheeler St. Mrs. Edd Luttrell, Jr., gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Lawlis, circle chairman, presided over the business session. Plans were made for the Junior GA Mother-Daughter banquet which will be held in February.

Committees were appointed as follows for the banquet: Program, Mesdames Luttrell, B. W. Barnett and Jay Wilson; Invitation, Mesdames Charley Hardison, Luttrell and Bill McCrum; Menu, Miss Nita Wilson, Mrs. Jewel Daughtrey and Mrs. B. F. Ramsey; Table, Mesdames Glenn Briggs, Lester Thomas, Lawlis and Lester Boyd.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Thomas with scripture from Matthew. Mrs. Daughtrey taught the first chapter of the mission book, "Crusade in the Home Mission."

Mrs. Barnett closed the meeting with prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Daughtrey, Barnett, Luttrell, Thomas and Lawlis; Miss Wilson and one visitor, Janie Barnett.

Class on Frozen Meats Conducted by Agent

Miss Joy Riley, home demonstration agent, conducted a teacher training meeting on preparation of frozen meats Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. A. Mashburn. The home demonstration club leaders attending the meeting will give the same demonstration for their individual clubs at the second meetings in February. The seven Wilbarger County clubs were represented at the meeting by Mesdames Mashburn, C. M. Kester, N. D. Brock, J. E. Brock, Ed Lehman, Sr., W. S. Fitzgerald and Ira Dunn.

SIMPLE SOLUTION

Houston, Jan. 30. (AP)—Houston police were not long in finding out what happened to a battered Cadillac. Sheriff's Lieut. W. E. Isbell said its owner came home at 4 a. m., slept until noon, and prepared to leave again. Then, said Isbell, the owner's wife went into action with a hammer, broke everything breakable, and let the air out of the tires.

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Social Calendar--

Wednesday, Jan. 30

First Baptist Sunday School Council meeting and supper at 6:45 p. m. in dining room of youth building.

Friday, Feb. 1

Catalpa Grove No. 100, Woodmen Circle, will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the WOW Hall.

First Methodist Wesley Workers Class meeting at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. L. Clifford, 2018 Roberts.

The Lion's Den will be open from 7 to 11 p. m. for senior-high members only.

The Susannah Wesley Class of the First Methodist Church will have a social at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Marvin Sharp, 2519 Paradise.

Rayland Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Alvin Gloyne.

Saturday, Feb. 2

The Lion's Den will be open from 2 to 5 p. m. for all members and from 7 to 10 p. m. for junior-high members only.

The women of the Grace Episcopal Church will hold a bake sale at the Roy Iles Motor Co., beginning at 10 a. m.

Monday, Feb. 4

The Auxiliary to Ray Cox Post 4747, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will have a covered dish luncheon at 12 noon in the home of Mrs. Jane Young, 1829 London.

Tuesday, Feb. 5

Grace Episcopal Church auxiliary meeting at 7 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Edith Mae Williamson, 2215 Wilbarger.

First Baptist WMS Has Business Meeting

The WMS of the First Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for a business session. Mrs. Frank Scott, president, was in charge.

The opening hymn was led by Mrs. Vidal Jones and accompanied by Mrs. M. L. Raabe. Mrs. H. G. Cox led the group in prayer. Mrs. Jones gave the devotional, using the theme "Watch." A parliamentary drill was conducted by Mrs. F. E. Hogue. During the regular business session reports were made by all standing chairmen. Mrs. Scott announced that the society would begin studying a new book on home missions next Monday, Feb. 4.

Mrs. J. O. Rouse dismissed those present with prayer.

MEETINGS HELD

The Young People's organization of the Second Baptist Church met Monday at the church. The Minnie Era Sunbeams met with ten members and one visitor present. The Sue Saito Junior GA heard the Bible story, "The Dark-est Day in All the World." The Rex Ray Chapter of the Junior RA met with Rev. Oscar Mayo for a lesson from the home mission book, "Twelve Negroes of America." The Agnes Ann Gracy GA met with Mrs. E. L. Blackburn for study from the home mission book, "These Were First." A total of 24 young people attended the meetings.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Lacy of Big Spring, former Vernon residents, have announced the birth of a daughter on Tuesday, Jan. 29. Mrs. E. G. Lacy of Vernon is the paternal grandmother.

Reception Honors Everett J. Hilty

An informal reception was held in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Y. H. Babasin honoring Everett Jay Hilty, concert organist, following his recital Tuesday evening at the First Methodist Church.

The recital was sponsored by the First Methodist Church Chancel Choir, and members of the choir, their families and out-of-town guests attended the reception. Out-of-town guests were present from Electra, Wichita Falls, Austin and Dallas.

During the reception hot and cold refreshments were served from a silver appointed table which was centered by a lovely arrangement of white snapdragons flanked by red candles.

Lockett Baptist WMU Holds Study Meeting

The WMU of the Lockett Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church for Bible study.

The meeting opened with a hymn, followed with prayers by Mrs. E. G. Boman and Mrs. Frank McNair. The Bible study was conducted by the study chairman, Mrs. Clyde Ray Lewis.

The group sang "Take Time to be Holy" and Mrs. Homer Thompson dismissed 11 members with prayer.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Franke included her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Craig, and daughters, Karen and Marta, of Fort Worth, and her grandson, Jack Weems, and his wife and mother, Mrs. Holloway, of Wichita Falls.

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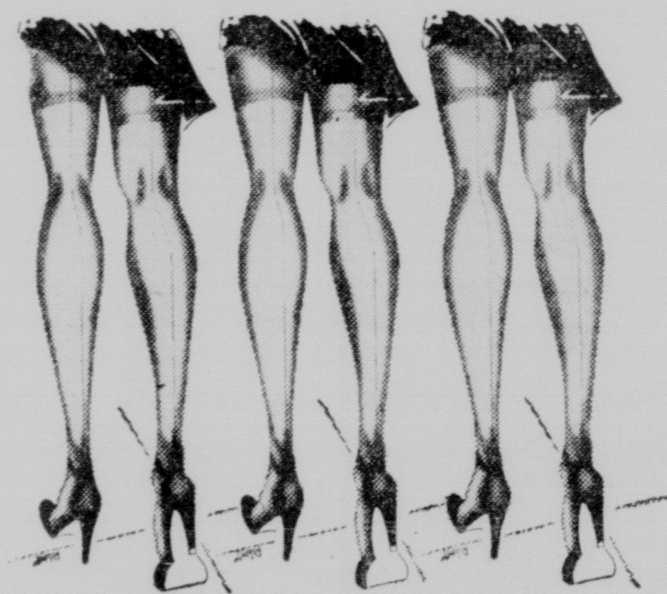
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We owe it to our children and to ourselves to have our porch light burning Thursday Night. If this drive only renewed hope and health to one little boy or one little girl it would be worth all the effort . . . but this 1952 Mother's March On Polio will help many who would otherwise have no hope to walk and play again.



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TAKING A GUESS AT THE 64-DOLLAR QUESTION

Opinions vary as to whether President Truman will ask for another term. Some who are supposed to be on the inside of things are quite positive the chief executive will bow out in favor of somebody else at the proper time. Several factors are said to lend support to this theory. One is that the President's wife is strongly against another campaign and another four years of strenuous official life. Mrs. Truman is said to have great influence with her husband and the belief is expressed that when the showdown comes he will respect her wishes.

Another opinion is that the outcome of this year's campaign is so uncertain as to be uninviting to a man who is four years older and much more weary than he was in 1948. One view is that Mr. Truman wouldn't mind if he could make a valiant fight and lose, realizing that whoever is in the White House the next four years will have a very tough time of it.

But all these are nothing more than guesses. There may be some who know what the President will do about the nomination, but there are very good reasons for suspecting that he has not shared his confidence with very many. Probably he has not made a final decision and is waiting to see a little further before putting himself in or stepping aside.

Outwardly, however, all signs that meet the eye point toward another nomination for the President. If he is thinking seriously about stepping aside, why would certain moves be taken to get instructed delegations for friends who have publicly declared they have no intention of seeking the nomination? Then there is the necessity of building up another candidate, if Mr. Truman intends to retire, and the time is getting late for very much of a pre-convention buildup for Justice Vinson or some other Administration favorite.

It begins to appear very much as if the President is creating a situation where the convention will have no choice, except to ask him to run again.

HOPEFUL SIGNS APPEAR IN FRANCO-GERMAN AGREEMENTS

While we worry over sinister possibilities of the present world situation one of the most significant events of modern history is taking shape almost unnoticed. It is a move to bring about a federation of the nations of Western Europe, which have already ratified the Schuman Plan for merging coal and steel industries. There has been a flareup in the age-old Franco-German animosity in the past few days, but this seems to involve a detail rather than a major issue in connection with the plan for integration of the European defense community, which includes, besides France and Germany, Belgium, Holland, Italy and Luxembourg.

The German demand seems to be a reasonable one. It is acceptance of Germany as a full member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, not immediately, but as soon as practicable. No doubt this obstacle can and will be overcome, just as even more serious ones were surmounted in working out the Schuman Plan. The establishment of a common defense army is a logical step in the direction of a federation, which, in turn, is only the logical predecessor of a United States of Western Europe. In fact, most of the discussion thus far has been a frank recognition of this as the ultimate objective.

Ghosts of Bismarck, Clemenceau and other ancient leaders in the conflict between France and Germany must have had a terrible shock a short time ago when the West German parliament voted by a substantial majority to provide soldiers for a united army who would wear the same uniform as French soldiers and accept orders from the same general command.

Nothing as hopeful as this has happened in a hundred years, and it suggests that if we can only have wise leadership in the next few years the foundation may be laid for world organization which can and will keep the peace based on justice and equality among the nations. If France and Germany can agree to work together for peace there should be no insurmountable problem in the field of diplomacy.

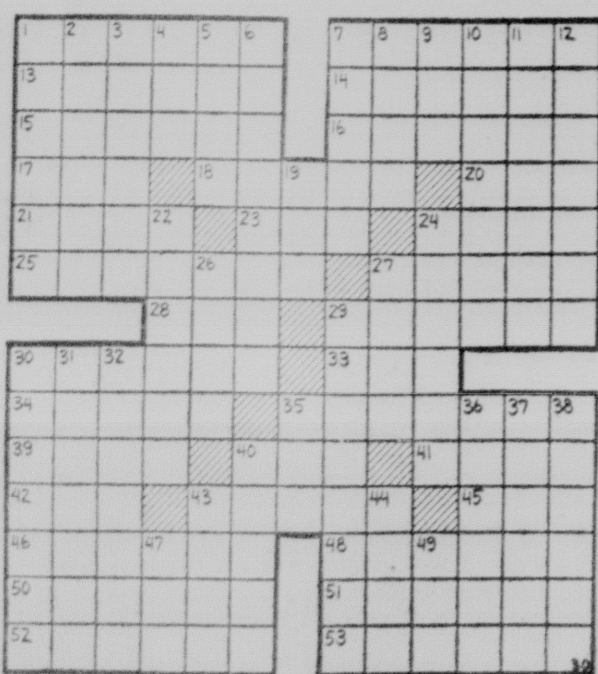
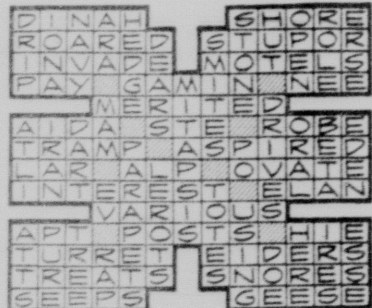
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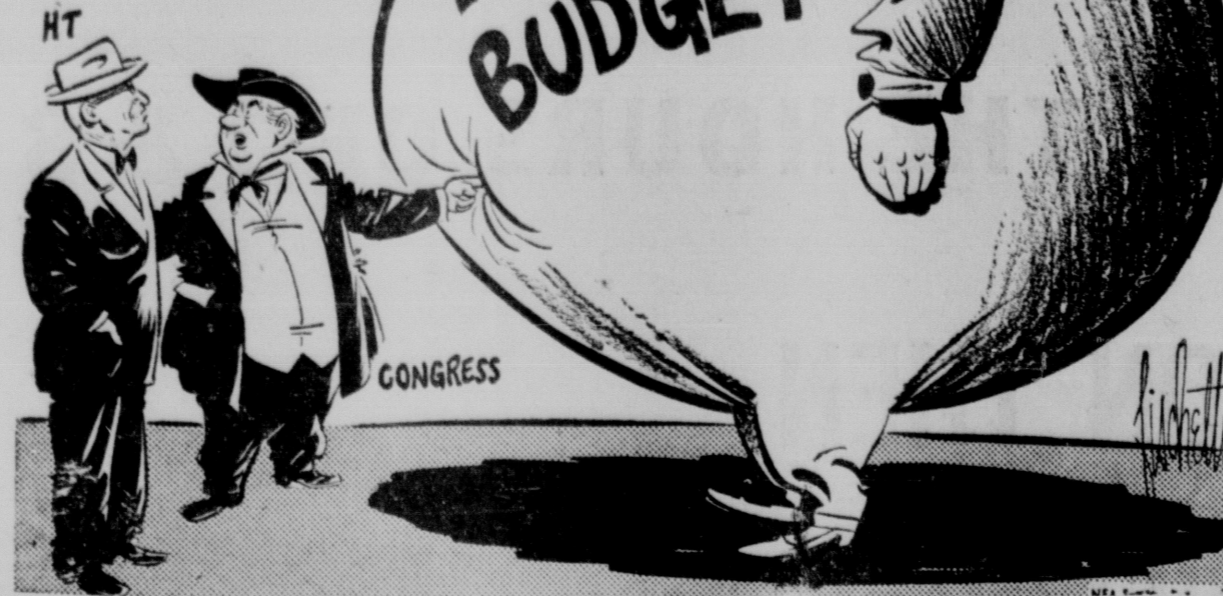


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★ WASHINGTON COLUMN ★

Loss of Plane to Hungary Spurs Revamping of Airways Control

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Steps are now being taken to see that no more U. S. airplanes get lost behind the Iron Curtain. Three incidents in the past two years have shown what happens when American planes do stray into Soviet-controlled territory.

First was the U. S. Navy privateer, an route from Weisbaden to Copenhagen, shot down over Latvia in April, 1950.

Second was the shooting down of a Navy weather reconnaissance plane off Vladivostok last November.

Finally there is the case of the Air Force transport forced down in Hungary. Payment of the \$120,000 ransom to release its four-man crew has stirred up the authorities to reduce chances of these losses.

According to reports now available in Washington, the trouble in the case of the plane lost to Hungary was largely a matter of faulty communications.

The American plane had all necessary radio equipment. This included IFF or identification friend or foe, VHF or very high frequency, command radio, liaison radio, radio compass and the Gibson girl SOS emergency equipment.

The trouble is that none of the ground stations on the last leg of the plane's Munich to Belgrade, Yugoslavia, flight had comparable equipment.

EUROPEAN airways control and radio communication are, in fact, very poor by American standards. Some countries are better than others. The heavily traveled Paris to London route has two well-defined airways. France maintains another airway to Marseilles. There are corridor airways to Berlin and Vienna. That's about all. Trans World and Pan American airways run their own communication systems for commercial operations through western and southern Europe. They have to do this in the name of the countries which they serve.

U. S. Air Force and Military Air Transport Service also run their own communications system. But they are limited to military fields. When MATS special mission planes have to fly to civil airports in Europe, they have to depend on local radio.

Zagreb and Belgrade, Yugoslavia, have only low-power radio beacons with a range of 20 to 40 miles. Air distance between the two is 250 miles. From Zagreb to Udine, in northeast Italy is another 150 miles.

Udine was the last check point contacted on the final flight leg for the plane forced down in Hungary.

Efforts to correct this hodge-podge of faulty communication will be taken up at traffic control meetings of the International Air Transport Association and the International Civil Aeronautics Organization in Paris during the coming two months.

THERE is a hitch, however, as to what system of communications to adopt. The U. S. favors a very high frequency omni-range system, called VOR, now almost completely installed throughout this country. VOR gives a practically static-free signal easy for pilots to receive.

The British, however, are backing a Decca system which was developed and is owned by Bing Crosby's Decca Records company. It has been installed as a marine navigation aid in European waters since the war.

Even after agreement is reached on which system to adopt for European airways, there will be some delays in getting the necessary installations. About 50 stations will have to be equipped, and cost of each installation is \$40,000 to \$60,000.

Considering the high priority on all U. S. electronics equipment for the defense effort, there seems to be little chance of getting American equipment for a European VOR system, or even the Decca system.

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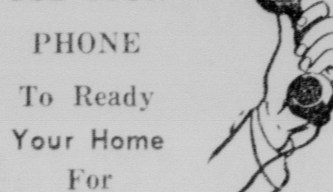


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12:45—Party Line.
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1:15—Transcribed Show.
1:30—Hymns of the Ages.
2:00—Western Hits.
3:25—News (MBS).
3:30—Western Hits.
4:00—Platter Parade.
5:00—Challenge of the Yukon (MBS).
5:30—Sky King (MBS).
5:55—Tex Fletcher (MBS).
6:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr. (MBS).

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6:15—Spotlight On Sports.
6:30—Gabriel Heatter (MBS).
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7:00—California Caravan (MBS).
7:30—Red & Gun Club of the Air (MBS).
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8:00—True or False (MBS).
8:30—Reporters Roundup (MBS).
9:00—Frank Edwards (MBS).
9:15—I Love a Mystery (MBS).
9:30—Orchestra (MBS).
10:00—Sign Off.

Friday Morning
7:00—Sign on.
7:00—Trading Post.
7:15—Altar in the Sky.
7:30—News.
7:45—Popular Hits.
8:00—Robert Hurleigh (MBS).
8:15—Tell Your Neighbor (MBS).
8:25—News Headlines (MBS).
8:30—Harmony Rangers (MBS).
8:55—News.
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9:30—Take a Number (MBS).
9:55—Talkback With Happy Felton (MBS).
10:00—Ladies Fair (MBS).
10:25—News (MBS).
10:30—Queen For A Day (MBS).
11:00—Curt Massey Time (MBS).
11:15—Hymns of All Churches.
11:25—News (MBS).
11:30—3-D Roundup.
11:45—Music.
12:00—Cedric Foster (MBS).

Friday Afternoon
12:15—Tonic Tunes.
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12:30—Music of Hill & Plain.
12:45—Party Line.
1:00—Music.
1:15—PTA Program.
1:30—Hymns of the Ages.
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5:00—Green Hornet (MBS).
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6:15—Spotlight On Sports.
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6:45—Calvary Baptist Church.
7:00—Circus Kid.
7:30—Orchestra (MBS).
7:45—Football Game.
10:00—Sign Off.

Dallas Voters Reject Bond Issue Tuesday

Dallas, Jan. (P)—Dallas voters who went to the polls yesterday to vote on a \$19,195,000 bond issue could claim distinction today.

They turned down a bond improvement program for the first time in history.

Seven bond issues were voted down by approximately a 7-6 margin. A charter amendment, aimed at increasing the city's borrowing power, was declined by a 3-2 vote.

The nine-member City Council said last night it was flabbergasted by the election result.

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Dr. Logan's Wife

By Diana Gaines



THE STORY: Insinuations that his wife Jennet has been unfaithful shock Dr. Gus Logan, and he cannot understand why she gave Peter Surov, a young biophysicist, a check for \$1200. Actually Jennet has been infatuated by Peter, but faithful to her husband and the money, raised by selling an old piece of jewelry, had been a good gift to be used in Peter's pet campaign for alum clearance.

Maxwell Cota, head of the hospital and also a landlord of the alums, had obtained a photograph of the check and had used it in an effort to oust Peter from the hospital staff.

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GUS LOGAN ran upstairs, his hands on the banister, to the balcony, his knees shaking. His face between the bars, he saw oh, Jennet, don't do this to me, I will listen. Come back and tell me it's not true—tell me I'm crazy, dreaming. I love you, Jenny. I love you so much I'm dying of it. His voice was so broken she thought he was crying. She came flying back down and she caught his sobbed words to her breast. They clung to each other for a moment, and then she led him to the couch and sat at his feet. With one hand Gus covered his eyes, and Jennet swung up to snap off the lamp. She sat down on the floor again, and stroked the palm that lay open on his knee, and then she closed her hand around it.

"My poor darling, listen to me. I did meet Peter for the first time at the Pelletiers. I've only seen him four times in my life altogether. The morning after the party, you remember, I brought that medical paper down to Walter Pelletier and Peter was there and he offered to show me his lab. I told you that. Then last Monday night, you had a meeting. I was on my way home and I bumped into him and went to that cursed lecture with him—that's when it

all started."
"So it did all start."
"Not what you mean, Gus, listen—you promised."
"Go ahead. I'm listening."
"I tried to tell you how upset I was after that lecture. I felt—I know it doesn't make sense—but I felt sort of personally responsible for those wretched people he talked about who live in rat-ridden, smelly houses. Nothing was going to go right in my lovely home, I was going to be punished and punished until I made up in some way for my sin."

"What sin?"
"I don't know. The sin of selfishness, I guess. The sin of having a nice home while others live like pigs."
"Tell me honestly, Jenny, this is not time for tact. Maybe the love that I thought there was between us—maybe it's all in my own head. Don't you love me, Jennet?"

"Of course," she said. "Of course, I love you, darling. And you've always been kind and good and marvelously understanding and I am lucky to have your love. But just this one thing—well, I thought you'd tell me I was silly. And I was silly, but that was neither here nor there because I was also desperate. I thought I gave a lot of money—not just five or ten dollars like you said because I wouldn't miss that—but a big amount." She paused, chewed her thumb nervously. "But of course I really didn't miss this because it was something I never used, but it worked, so it must have been the right amount."
"What are you talking about, Jennet? What do you mean—you don't use it? Where did you get the money? Do you have a savings

account some place that you never told me about?"

"Gus, you must believe me. Remember that old lavalier I had in the vault? That diamond thing I always meant to have reset? I took it to Chagiantz. He gave me \$1200 for it."

"Now it is not only the medical executive committee, but the tradesmen too. The circle widens. Chagiantz is a gossip in this town. He thinks my wife had to sell a piece of jewelry to raise money."

"Please, Gus. He won't say anything. He promised he wouldn't."
"Promised?" Gus exploded.

"He says this sort of thing happens every day in his shop. Movie stars, celebrities—the richest people sell their jewelry. What's there to be ashamed of?"

"This whole thing is clear as mud so far maybe if you go on..."

"Well, I—I didn't want to write a check because—forgive me for this—I didn't want to have to explain. So I had a certified check made out to me."

"Say what you mean, Jennet." Gus rebuked her. "You didn't want me to find out. This way if I happened on it, you could make up something. Are you good at making things up, Jennet?"
"I have never lied to you, Gus, and there's no need for lies now. But oh, Gus, haven't you ever since we've been married done something or felt something or thought something that you knew I wouldn't understand?"
"No," Gus said. "Never."

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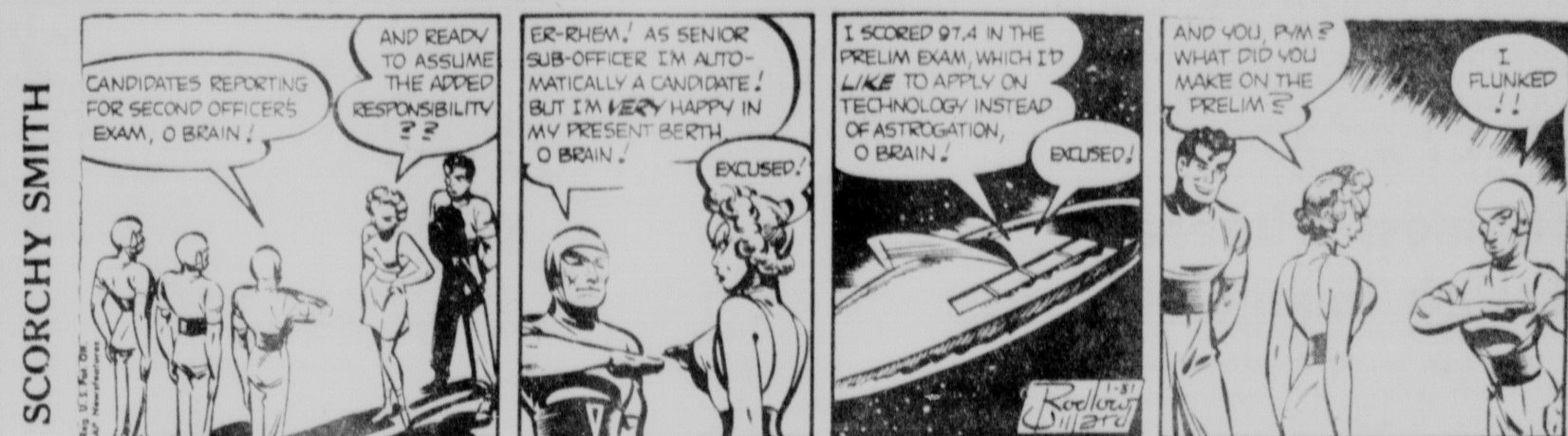
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Court Supports City Authority

Austin, Jan. 30. (AP)—The Court of Criminal Appeals today upheld authority of a city to ban motion pictures.

The ruling came in affirming a \$200 fine assessed against W. L. Gelling for showing the motion picture "Pinky" in Marshall over the objection of the city's board of censors.

The film dealt with inter-racial marriage.

The appeal court ruled only on validity of the ordinance which set up the board of censors.

"The name and character of the picture exhibited are immaterial and the objection lodged against the picture by the board of censors is immaterial because it is not claimed that they abused discretion," the court noted.

The court speculated that the U. S. Supreme Court may extend the 14th Amendment to include motion pictures and thus nationalize the industry and remove it from state and municipal control.

"But we are not expecting this until it has done so, and certainly will not yield the important function on behalf of the state and the municipality until we are forced to do so."

"We cannot concede that the motion picture industry has emerged from the business of amusement and become propagators of ideas entitling it to freedom of speech," the appeal court's written opinion said.

The opinion was written by Judge Tom L. Beauchamp.

Business Is Interested in British Financial Crisis

New York, Jan. 30. (AP)—American businessmen and taxpayers are getting a first look at what the latest British financial crisis is likely to cost them.

A number of American industries will lose a sizable part of their business in countries the sterling bloc controls. Even more American industries are going to find an increased volume of British and commonwealth goods competing in world markets with American goods.

American money is being sent to the aid of the British—some 300 million dollars in the form of a grant; 22 million dollars to buy British rubber for the U. S. stockpile; 54 million dollars to buy British tin for American consumers. More millions may be spent later for Australian wool and British-controlled aluminum.

And American steel mills are to find one million tons of steel to send to Britain for fabrication into arms and durable civilian goods for the British to sell in the world market.

The first stories of these deals—to bolster an important American ally which is admittedly in financial straits—are coming out of London and Washington. More are to follow quickly from the British Commonwealth nations.

South Africa is expected to cut off a large part of its market from American goods soon. Last year it imported 250 million dollars worth of American goods and sold us only 98 million dollars worth. South Africa has an annual production of 400 million dollars worth of gold, and out of that it sold enough to us to make up the trade deficit.

The South African Government is now expected to cut back American imports to a balance

with exports to us, and use all of its 400 million dollars of gold for trade with other British Commonwealth nations. American businessmen will feel that loss of market to a tune of perhaps 150 million dollars a year.

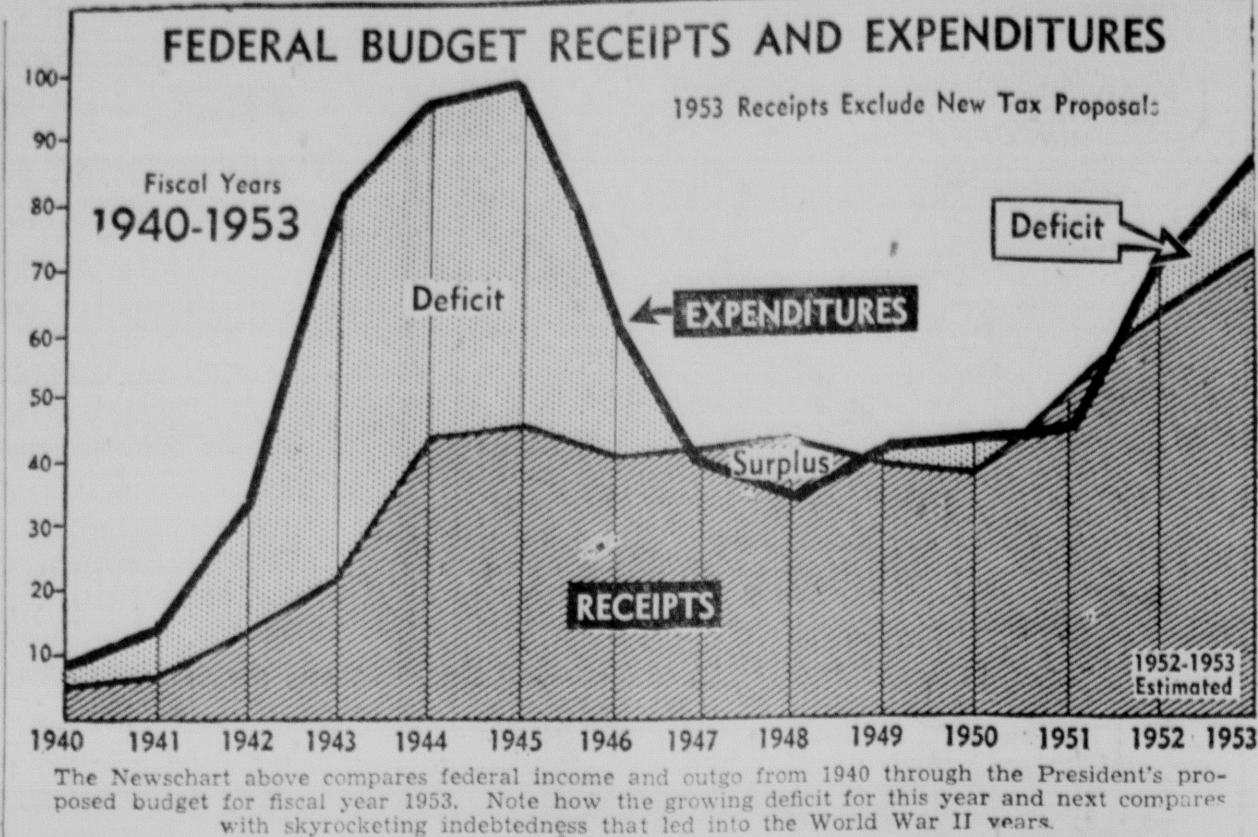
England itself will import seven million dollars less of American coal this year than last. In 1950 Britain paid 145 million for American tobacco. That is to be trimmed substantially this year. When its pact with the American film industry expires in September, Britain plans to cut sharply the 25 million dollars it pays a year for American movies.

American manufacturers of clothing, furniture, carpets, shoes and toys are on notice that Britain will import fewer of them this year. It's going to buy fewer foreign meats, fish, fruit and vegetables.

American manufacturers of cars, refrigerators, radio and TV sets, and other metal consumer goods are on notice that Britain this year will export a larger percentage of its output of these items into the world markets in search of gold and dollars. The Britons themselves will get only two-thirds as much of these things as they did last year.

The money deals between London and Washington—perhaps worked out during Prime Minister Churchill's visit to President Truman—will help some in tiding Britain over. Her gold and dollar reserves dropped 1½ billion dollars in the last six months of 1950 to stand now at \$2,355,000,000. American money grants and purchases of tin and rubber will help.

But Britain puts most faith in getting out of the mess by buying less from the dollar area, and selling more in world markets.



Farm Bureau Meeting For Feb. 4 Postponed

The regular monthly meeting of the Wilbarger County Farm Bureau, scheduled for Feb. 4, has been postponed because of the formal opening of the new Memorial Auditorium on that date.

H. A. Blevins, county bureau president, has announced.

A new time for the bureau meeting will be announced following a meeting of bureau directors at 7:30 p. m. Feb. 6, it was said.



CITY JITTERY

Oklahoma City, Jan. 30. (AP)—A fog-like vapor of explosive gas kept residents in the West Edmond oil field northwest of Oklahoma City in a state of jitters yesterday. The vapor poured out of the well and an oil man at the scene said it could have blown up the whole town if it had ignited. Operators plugged the leak after five hours. They said a weak spot in the casing was punched while a swabbing operation was in progress. The hole reached a pocket of gas, they explained.

DISPUTES TAXES — Roscoe Collier, who lost both legs in World War II, in the automobile given to him by the Government and on which the city of Dallas, Texas, is attempting to collect \$64.30 in personal property taxes. In reply to the suit brought by the city, the veteran said he considered his auto an "artificial part" of his person, the same as the prosthetic appliances with which he walks. "If the city taxes my auto, then it should tax the legs of every person in Dallas," he said.

Barge Explodes, Damage Is Heavy

Lake Charles, La., Jan. 30. (AP)—An oil barge exploded and burst into roaring flames that did more than a quarter-million dollars damage early today.

The blast at the Cities Service docks 12 miles southwest of Lake Charles, rattled windows here and the blaze could easily be seen from the outskirts of the city.

State Police reported one man was killed and another was missing. But George Keller, public relations man for Cities Service, said no Cities Service personnel were killed or injured.

Keller said several men were on the barge but escaped injury by diving into the water. Keller made the damage estimate.

He said the captain of the barge whose name was not immediately

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF WILBARGER. The Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, convened in a Regular Term at the Courthouse on the 14th day of January, 1952, the following members being present:

A. D. Green, County Judge.
Henry Scott, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
Clarence Grimes, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.
S. Tooley, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.
O. R. Yarbrough, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4.

The following among other business was transacted:
Commissioner Tooley introduced an order and made a motion that it be passed. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Yarbrough, voted upon and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: A. D. Green, Henry Scott, Clarence Grimes and O. R. Yarbrough.
Noes: None.

The order is as follows:
An order directing the County Judge to issue notice in accordance with Section 4 of Senate Bill No. 92 of the 51st Legislature that the Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, intends to make changes in the salaries of the following officials to-wit:

Sheriff and Three Deputy County Sheriffs, Tax Collector and Assessor and Four Deputy Tax Assessors and Collectors, County Clerk and Four Deputy County Clerks, County Judge, County Attorney, County Treasurer, Auditor and Deputy County Auditor, District Clerk, Deputy District Clerk.

The salaries of other County employees will be adjusted also.

Be it ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, Texas.

1. The County Judge is directed to issue a notice in substantially the following form:

Notice:

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 4 of Senate Bill No. 92 of the 51st Legislature, requiring that the Commissioners' Court shall publish at least once a week for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper in the respective county, notice of their intention to make changes in the salaries of county officials, that the Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, intends to make changes in salaries of the following officials, to-wit:

Sheriff and Three Deputy County Sheriffs, Tax Collector and Assessor and Four Deputy Tax Assessors and Collectors, County Clerk and Four Deputy County Clerks, County Judge, County Attorney, County Treasurer, Auditor and Deputy County Auditor, District Clerk, Deputy District Clerk.

The salaries of other County employees will be adjusted also.

Dated this 14th day of January, 1952.

A. D. GREEN, County Judge.

Wilbarger County, Texas.

2. Said notice shall be published in the "Vernon Daily Record," a newspaper of general circulation in this County once a week for three consecutive weeks.

Passed and approved this 14th day of January, 1952.

A. D. GREEN, County Judge.

Attest: M. E. BARNHILL, County Clerk.

(Seal) 63 St. (Wednesday)

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available, is missing but added he would hesitate to say he is dead.

The captain may have gone over the side to safety, Keller reasoned.

There were a series of explosions starting at 2:04 a. m. (CST). Four barges alongside the one which exploded were towed to safety as was a Standard Oil tanker moored nearby. Tugs had to make three attempts before they were able to get to the tanker to tow it away.

Texas Citrus Control Act Is Knocked Out

Austin, Jan. 30. (AP)—The State Supreme Court today knocked out the Texas citrus control act as a

tax law that is not equal and uniform.

It dissolved an injunction granted the State in 92nd District Court of Hidalgo County, prohibiting the H. Houw Co. from doing business until it gave bond as required by the citrus act.

A reading of the law "clearly demonstrates" its primary purpose is to raise revenue and not regulate the citrus fruit industry under the police power, the opinion by Associate Justice Meade Griffin held.

GETS PRISON SENTENCE

Dallas, Jan. 30. (AP)—Sherman Hart was sentenced to five years in prison last night after conviction of murder without malice in

the death of his daughter-in-law, Hart said he was shooting at a neighbor, Christine Higgins, in October, 1950, when Gallar Ruth Hart was killed in his back yard. The neighbor testified she had gone into her home when the shot was fired from Hart's rifle.

SUICIDE VERDICT

Houston, Jan. 30. (AP)—An inquest verdict of suicide was returned yesterday in the death here of Wilton C. Moore, assistant general traffic manager for Anderson Clayton & Company. A revolver was in Moore's hand when he was found. A justice of the peace said he also found a suicide note.

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IRAN (long known as Persia) made headlines and increased world jitters when she evicted Britain from her fabulous oil concessions, challenged the UN to keep hands off and played cozy with Russia, while trying to scare the West into dealing on her own terms. Ancient Persia was the land of Omar Khayyam and Marco Polo. Since 1900, black oil magic has transformed much of Iran from a land of nomadic tribes, sheep and goat herders, into an oil colossus, with wealthy cities, giant oilfields and refineries. Abadan, where the British bowed out, is the world's largest refinery, but was idled by loss of its skilled European technicians. During World War II, Russia and Britain occupied Iran, after Nazi fifth-column efforts to take over, and Iran became the great lend-lease "back door" to Russia. It was then that the constitutional monarch, the Shah Reza Khan, abdicated in favor of his young son, the present Shah. Under UN pressure in 1946, Russia reluctantly withdrew its troops from Iran, and a Red puppet government in Azerbaijan collapsed. The Kremlin still eyes its southern neighbor greedily across the 800-mile frontier. Stalin could use Iran's oil, its warm water sea outlet, its strategic location on the flanks of India and Turkey. Iran's aging Premier Mossadeq has been in the U. S. seeking aid. Hounded by extreme nationalists and religious fanatics, Mossadeq stands in grave danger of seeing his government topple unless the shattered oil business can be revived.